

## Storm in Commons

# Mike Denies Election Offer

OTTAWA (CP) — A letter purporting to be a pledge of American support to Prime Minister Pearson from U.S. Ambassador Butterworth before the April 8 election was read into the Commons record Monday by Hon. Gordon Churchill.

In the heated debate that followed, Mr. Pearson denied that he had received any such letter, said Mr. Churchill was aware of that, and suggested Mr. Churchill knew the "forgery" had been disowned by Mr. Butterworth.

### VERBAL BATTLE

Mr. Churchill, former Conservative defence and veterans minister, became involved in a verbal battle with External Affairs Minister Martin and State Secretary Pickersill in which Mr. Martin said Mr. Churchill knew the letter was a forgery.

Mr. Churchill successfully challenged Mr. Martin's right to make such a statement under House rules and Deputy Speaker Lucien Lamoureux instructed Mr. Martin to withdraw the remark. Mr. Martin complied.

### TO PEARSON

As read by the member for Winnipeg South Centre, the letter was addressed to Mr. Pearson, then leader of the opposition, from Walton W. Butterworth, U.S. ambassador to Canada.

At one point it said that it would be "quite evident" to the Canadian electors in the election to be held soon that the Conservative government was "narrow-minded and unfit to govern."

### COUNT ON SUPPORT

It said that the ambassador would like to consult with Mr. Pearson at the first opportunity and added: "You can always count on our support."

The ambassador later issued a press statement branding the letter as "a complete forgery."

He said the "forgery" was brought to his attention during the April election campaign and that he notified the Conservative government then that he did not write it.

Before Mr. Churchill read the purported signature, Mr. Martin accused him of "reading a letter which he knows to be an absolute forgery."

### WILL REGRET

Mr. Churchill replied that he had been accused "in a manner which he (Mr. Martin) will regret."

Mr. Churchill remained silent when State Secretary Pickersill asked him where he had obtained the letter.

### REVIEWS EVENTS

The former Conservative cabinet minister read the letter after giving a detailed summary of events beginning with Gen. Laurin Norstad's visit to Ottawa Jan. 3 on retiring as NATO commander.

During that visit Gen. Norstad said that he had written a letter to Mr. Pearson.

## Hotel Dispute

# Dean Curtis Arbitrator

Labor Minister Leslie Peterson Monday named UBC dean of law George Curtis to arbitrate the Empress Hotel labor dispute.

## \$5,000,000

# Fire Hits Hospital

CHICOUTIMI, Que. (UPI) — A fire which caused damage estimated at \$5,000,000 in the Hotel de St. Vallier hospital was brought under control Monday night eight hours after it began.

The army said it would donate 200 beds to be placed in a nearby school to help accommodate some of the hospital's 1,000 patients who were placed in private homes, convents and schools in the area.

A force of 225 fire fighters from nearby communities plus 150 volunteers fought the blaze. (Earlier story Page 1.)

## Alabama Governor 'Safe'

# Troopers Halt Marshals

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — U.S. marshals were prevented by a heavy guard of state troopers from serving legal papers on Alabama's pro-segregation Governor George Wallace here Monday. (See also Page 1.)

Instead, the marshals gave the papers to a Negro maid at the governor's mansion.

State troopers had kept the governor from being served with official notice that a federal suit has been filed seeking to prohibit Wallace from carrying out his promised intervention when two Negroes try to enroll in the all-white University of Alabama.

In Washington, the U.S. Supreme Court rejected Wallace's suit to bar use of federal troops in Birmingham, scene of recent anti-segregation demonstrations by Negroes. The governor had asked the tribunal to declare that President Kennedy violated the U.S. Constitution by sending troops into the state for possible riot duty in Birmingham's racial troubles.

Meanwhile, Southern U.S. movie theatre owners were told by Attorney-General Robert F. Kennedy in Washington that they should anticipate desegregation problems and try to solve them on a town-by-town basis.

The attorney-general also met briefly with James H. Meredith, the first Negro ever knowingly enrolled at the University of Mississippi.

### ALLEGED LETTER

Text of the statement: "The alleged letter from me to the prime minister, the purported text of which I understand was read into the record of the House of Commons this afternoon, is a complete forgery. The forgery was brought to my attention during the recent election campaign."

### NOTIFIED GOVERNMENT

"I notified the then government that such a forgery was being circulated, and denied to enquirers who asked me about it at the time, that I had ever written any such letter. I reiterate the denial."



DEAN CURTIS  
... report binding

# 'Pope Well Aware' That End Is Near

VATICAN CITY (Reuters) — The Vatican said Pope John's condition improved further Monday but press reports painted a black picture.

The improvement in the condition of the 81-year-old leader of the Roman Catholic Church following a severe relapse and a hemorrhage last weekend was announced in the Vatican City newspaper L'Osservatore Romano.

However, the Milan newspaper Corriere Della Sera reported that a few days ago the Pope, rumored to have cancer, said:

"I know what I have. And I also know that I have only three or four more weeks to live."

Asserted Rome's Il Messaggero: "The Pope is well aware of his condition and shows serenity. He is ready for the supreme moment."

Corriere Della Sera, a leading Italian paper, also quoted physician Piero Mazzoni, an almost constant attendant, as saying when he left Pope John Sunday:

"We are in the hands of God rather than in the hands of science."

A Vatican source reported the leading surgeon Achille Mario Dogliotti examined the pontiff last month and said radioactive anti-cancer treatment was impossible in view of the Pope's general condition.

Meanwhile, it was disclosed that a White House party due here Monday night to mark out details for President Kennedy's visit postponed its arrival for a few days.

The president had been expected to be received by Pope John June 22.

Although a U.S. embassy spokesman said he knew of no change in Kennedy's plan to visit Italy, Vatican sources said they had no information yet about the presidential visit.

The Osservatore Romano's statement said the Pope's doctors "found further progress (Monday) morning following improvement Sunday night in his general condition, above all in his subjective condition."

The Pope spent a "good night," a Vatican spokesman added.

The Pope's personal physician, Antonio Gasbarri, also 81, examined the pontiff Monday.



Armored car driver Douglas John Brown, right, smiles as he walks from plane in Toronto with Vancouver detective William Porteous.—(Fednews Photo)

## Loomis Loot

# Fortune Held For a Week

HOPE, B.C. (CP) — Don Hall, proprietor of a restaurant here, became suspicious of three suitcases that someone had left in the washroom.

They were supposed to contain carpenter's tools.

They really held more than \$300,000 in cash, which police said was the bulk of the money stolen in the Loomis Armored Car Service theft at Vancouver during the Victoria Day holiday weekend.

### FRIEND PHONED

Hall, owner of the Rupert Taylor Motel Restaurant, told Monday of how he was tricked May 17 by a friend who told him a man wanted to bring three suitcases of carpenter's tools to be stored in his restaurant.

He went to a friend for advice. The friend told him to open the suitcases. Hall shook the suitcases—the sound wasn't that of tools.

SAW LAWYER Sunday afternoon he saw a lawyer. The lawyer sent for RCMP Staff Sgt. John Hall of Chilliwack.

Sunday night they pried open the suitcases with a screwdriver.

All three suitcases were jammed with bills.

Staff Sgt. Hall took the suitcases into custody and reported to Vancouver police. The money was sent to Vancouver.

He said he agreed to look after them.

Early Sunday afternoon, May 19, a man arrived with the suitcases. Hall stored them in the staff washroom in his restaurant. The man left.

A few days later Hall read that a Loomis driver had been charged with theft in connection with the disappearance of more than \$500,000. About \$300,000—mostly in cheques and change—later was found in a parked car at the airport here.

### DID HE HAVE LOOT?

Thoughts began running through Hall's mind. Did he really have the Loomis loot, sitting in a washroom in this village 100 miles northeast of Vancouver?

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# Trusting Young Girl Won't Get to Paris

NEW YORK (UPI) — A 15-year-old girl who said she was tired of school and wanted to go to Paris tried to hold up a bank with a toy pistol Monday to get the money for the trip, police said.

Police said Joanne Bernard, who ran away from home in Rumford, Maine, last Friday, pointed the toy gun at four bank employees and demanded \$2,000. Manager Alfred Robbins told her to take a seat while he got the money. He then walked out of the bank and summoned two policemen, who disarmed the girl.

According to police, Joanne took a \$40 cheque belonging to her father, cashed it and took a bus to Manhattan.

Deciding she would like to go to Paris, she walked into the bank and said: "I want \$2,000. I need it."

She will be charged in children's court today with juvenile delinquency.

## Suspect Smuggled In

# Brown Back

## \$300,000

# Recovered

VANCOUVER (CP) — Two police forces outfitted a corps of reporters and cameramen Monday night as Douglas John Brown, suspect in an armored-car theft, was returned to Vancouver.

The 35-year-old driver for the Loomis Armored Car Service was being brought back in police custody after a 2½-day trip from Rio de Janeiro.

Not a picture was taken of the suspect as police nearly whisked him away to city jail to await preliminary hearing on charges of theft.

### Out on Tarmac

At least a dozen newswriters, television and press reporters and cameramen made their way to the TCA tarmac by various routes after being held at bay for some time by commissionaires.

RCMP and city police permitted the reporters to gather around the first-class landing ramp. A city police unmarked car backed to the ramp and one door was held open by an RCMP constable.

### Another Door

Only the actors in the plot knew that Brown was getting set to leave the plane by another door.

After all first-class passengers were off the jet from Toronto, a young well-dressed man wearing a business suit was ushered down the steps by a city detective and placed in the front of the car.

### Asked Questions

Radio reporters thrust microphones at him and barked questions such as: "Have you anything to say, Mr. Brown?"

Movie cameras ground through all four windows of the car, flash bulbs lit the scene, as reporters called out: "Do you intend to throw yourself on the mercy of the court?"

### Cameramen Call

Newswriter cameramen on the driver's side of the car called out:

"Doug, Doug, look this way." The man kept his head down and lit a cigarette, smiling at the detective next to him.

Then came the explosion.

### Car Roars Away

Another detective leaped into the driver's seat and the police car burned rubber as it swung under the wing of the plane down to the other doorway. Half a dozen suit-clad figures ran down and leaped into the police car and a following RCMP car which pulled out from behind another plane.

### Another Prisoner

The cry of "Decoy, decoy" went up and photographers raised after the police car, taking pictures from long range.

The two cars, joined by a second RCMP vehicle, roared off the airport tarmac.

The "decoy" later was identified as Bert Benjamin Bural, being returned here to face charges of fraud.

A crowd of about 200 persons lined the observation rail, laughing and applauding at the newspapermen's discomfiture.

### Counting Cash

While Brown was in the air between Toronto and Vancouver, bank tellers here were counting an estimated \$300,000 in cash discovered in three suitcases 100 miles away.

Deputy Police Chief Gordon Ambrose said it was part of the loot from the May 18 theft. He also said that two more men have been arrested in the case and probably will be charged with conspiracy.

Cheques worth \$200,000 had been recovered two days after the theft in a car, identified as belonging to Brown, near the airport.

## 2,000,000

# Menaced By Plague

SAIGON, South Viet Nam (Reuters) — Health authorities declared Saigon and its suburbs a bubonic plague area Monday and ordered the 2,000,000 population of the capital immunized.

The order, following several deaths from the disease, also applied to Khanh Hoa province, 200 miles northeast of Saigon and with a population of 200,000. All inhabitants of these areas must carry immunization certificates and present them on demand.

# Northern Mystery Solved?

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (CP) — Police said Monday night a body, which almost certainly is that of Henri Meriguet, 23, of Anney, France, has been found at Mile 983 of the Alaska Highway.

Inspector J. L. Vachon of the RCMP said the body was found about 75 yards off the Alaska Highway by police search dogs. The site was 225 road miles southeast of Whitehorse.

Meriguet crossed the Atlantic last summer to trace the footsteps of his grandfather who founded the family fortune on Klondike gold diggings. He vanished Aug. 30, on the way home.

Inspector Vachon said a convict serving a sentence in B.C. Penitentiary on other charges will be questioned in connection with the discovery.

## \$30,000,000

# Program For Prisons

MONTREAL (CP) — Allen MacLeod, commissioner of penitentiaries, has announced the start of a \$30,000,000 five-year program to bring Canada's prison facilities up to date. The program involves the construction of at least eight new institutions.

Mr. MacLeod said Canada's penitentiary population has increased 35 per cent in the last few years. A recent wave of riots by prisoners wanting transfers to other prisons had underlined the need for new facilities.

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# Letter Forgery Says Ambassador

OTTAWA (CP) — W. W. Butterworth, United States ambassador to Canada, lost no time Monday in denying that he ever wrote a letter critical of the former Progressive Conservative government to then Opposition Leader Lester Pearson.

Within one hour after Gordon Churchill (PC—Winnipeg North Centre) read in the Commons a letter purporting to have been sent last January by Mr. Butterworth to Mr. Pearson,

## Chinese Called To Halt Floods

PEKING (Reuters) — Hundreds of thousands of people in three central Red Chinese provinces are being mobilized to fight threatened floods as river levels reached almost unprecedented heights for this time of year, the People's Daily reports.

# Woman, 70, Gives Birth

LAGOS, Nigeria (UPI) — Doctors said Monday a 70-year-old woman from Calabar, in eastern Nigeria, has given birth to a baby in a health home and mother and child are doing well.

Service station attendant Ken-







# Twin Survived to Die

FERRIS, Ill. — Rodney Brouder, 11, granted life in a "survival of the fittest" operating room decision that killed his head-injured Siamese twin Roger in 1962, choked and died as his father fed him lunch.

Rodney was the first person in history to survive surgery to separate Siamese twins joined at the head. He was always sickly, weighing only 50 pounds at death.

REDLANDS, Calif. — Television star Dinah Shore married Palm Springs, Calif., contractor Marice Smith two days after the singer picked up the final dis-



DINAH SMITH  
... contractor's wife

voice papers from her first marriage to actor George Montgomery.

NEW YORK — Actress Ariane Francis, 51, injured in a head-on collision in which one person was killed, was reported in satisfactory condition.

NEW YORK — Louis Miesbach, 34, a neo-Nazi group's flag-bearer charged with felonious assault after a rally riot Saturday, had his bail set at \$2,500, executed a snappy "Hell Hitler" at the bench and had bail raised to \$10,000.

CAIRO, Ga. — In a million-to-one accident, the cars of farmer Ray Merritt, 51, and his daughter Jean, 19, collided head-on. Both died instantly.

PHOENIX — Arthur Page, 50, of Chicago, accused of taking \$70,959 from Brinks, Inc., last February, is being held here pending arraignment.

CALGARY — Postal clerk Kenneth Cameron, 27, was sentenced to two years less one day for theft of \$10,000 from a post office. "I wanted to put it back," he said, "but I didn't know how."

ATHENS — Leftwing opposition deputy Grigoris Lambrakis, 45, whose injury in a motorcycle accident last week touched off nation-wide riots, died in hospital.

MONTREAL — Army bomb disposal expert Sgt. Maj. Walter Leje, 42, wounded by a mailbox bomb, regained consciousness after 10 days.

MOSCOW — Soviet cosmonaut Andrian Nikolayev praised the successful flight of U.S. astronaut Gordon Cooper, and said it was a considerable achievement

for the U.S. but belittled the spacecraft.

LEBANON, Ind. — Richard Rousner has patented an electric device that measures noise and flashes red when things get too loud on his job. Rousner is a school bus driver.

MOSCOW — Albert Adzhubel, Nikita Khrushchev's son-in-law, denied a U.S. newspaper report that a number of Soviet cosmonauts have died in space. He charged it all was "fantastic invention."

HOLLYWOOD — Actress Sharon Lynn, 31, who once starred with Burt Reynolds and Lorne and Hardy, died in hospital.

MADRID — Doctors said house painter Jose Luis Fraga Alonso, 22, died of excessive exertion while dancing the twist.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. — Robert Steward, the "Birdman of Alcatraz," lost his latest bid for parole.

DUBLIN — The city of Dublin, beaming with pride at prospect of President Kennedy's visit in June, made him its 48th Freeman.

BAGHDAD — Iraqi security forces arrested Arab nationalist Salim Ahmad on charges of plotting an abortive coup against President Arif.

SEOUL — To the surprise of no one, Gen. Chung Hoo Park, chairman of the ruling military junta, was unanimously nominated by the junta-backed Democratic Republican party to run for president of South Korea.

TORONTO — The Law Society of Upper Canada has retained a firm of chartered accountants to probe the disappearance of \$250,000 from property sales processed by missing Toronto lawyer Samuel Moskowitz, believed to be in Israel.

OTTAWA — C. Rhodes Smith, 67, former chairman of the Restrictive Trades Practices Commission, has been appointed a judge of the Court of Queen's Bench for Manitoba.



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## Bonn to Curb Germans Building Arab Rockets

TEL AVIV (AP) — Former defence minister Franz Josef Strauss said West Germany's "new constitution which guarantees every German full freedom" limits what the Bonn government can do to dissuade Germans from working for President Nasser's United Arab Republic. But he assured his Israeli hosts that a new law in preparation in West Germany's Parliament would limit such activities by German nationals abroad.

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WORTHING, England — A team of West German marksmen finished last in a shooting match against four British teams, but Peter Downes, individual winner, said "they shot extremely well." The Germans borrowed rifles because their own had been seized at Dover by customs officials.

FERRIDAY, La. — Elliott Coleman, former bodyguard for Huey Long who shot the Louisiana political boss's assassin, died at 81.

LONDON — Queen Elizabeth, in a message to Commonwealth youth, called for a "world-wide brotherhood which could transcend all barriers of distance, race, creed and class." Her message was read at special youth services in all Commonwealth countries.

PETERBOROUGH, England — The Queen has had her first

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## The Nuclear Burden

MR. JUSTICE J. T. THORSON, president of the Exchequer Court, has publicly criticized the government for its action in placing the RCAF air division under command of the NATO nuclear strike force.

As a member of the judiciary his attack upon the administration was unusual if not unprecedented. Yet in fairness to his position it must be pointed out that when he spoke he did so in his capacity of president of the Canadian Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament.

"The concept of a strike-reconnaissance role for NATO planes carrying nuclear weapons," he said, "is itself an evil one." He then added that in his opinion anyone who ordered the pilot of a Starfighter CF-104 aircraft (with which the RCAF European force is equipped) to drop a "first strike" nuclear bomb would be as guilty of war crimes as the Nazi leaders convicted after the Second World War.

Though Mr. Justice Thorson's view that because the minority Liberal government does not possess a clear mandate of the people of Canada it has no right to commit the RCAF to a nuclear-carrying role is questionable, his honest concern as a leader of a group dedicated to ridding the world of the dreadful threat of an all-out thermo-nuclear war, is not.

Whether or not Canada can best serve in the prevention of such a horrifying event by arming herself with nuclear weapons is a matter that has been argued publicly and privately throughout the country from coast to coast for many years. It is a matter upon which opinion is divided—as much among politicians of every party as it is among the rank and file citizenry.

Mr. Justice Thorson, for his part, sincerely believes that the present government has chosen the wrong course. Doubtless he has taken into account the Ottawa NATO report that Canada's 200 CF-104s allocated to the NATO nuclear strike force will be armed with 60-kiloton bombs—each of which is three times more powerful than the atom bomb dropped on Hiroshima on August 6, 1945.

This means that when the Canadian air division is fully operational it will have the nuclear capability of destroying the equivalent of 600 Hiroshimas, killing 48,000,000 people and injuring another 22,000,000. In other words the RCAF European air division will be hundreds of times more powerful than the combined strengths of all the allied armed forces used in the Second World War.

Under optimum conditions Canada's air division could, for instance, completely obliterate the British Isles, or Germany, or even a large part of the U.S.S.R. To be in possession of, and responsible for such enormous destructive power imposes an almost impossible responsibility upon any nation. And such a burden is now Canada's.

## A Fine Councillor

THE ESQUIMALT community has been untimely deprived of the services of one whom Reeve Wente aptly describes as "a very fine and dedicated councillor" through the sudden death overseas of Mr. G. K. Sammon.

It was in pursuit of his interest as national president of the association of veterans' affairs employees that he had gone to London, and the news of his passing has come as a shock to his fellow councillors and to the area in which he was so conspicuous a figure.

For the past decade Mr. Sammon had been one of the brightest and most active municipal minds, with a forward outlook and a spirit of co-operation which made his services most valuable, and his loss at so early an age as 53 years becomes all the more severe. Normally there should have been many more years of service from him for the weal of his municipality.

During his ten years on the Esquimalt Council he had gathered a wide variety of experience, and had become one of the most capable and informed members of his community, whose knowledge of intermunicipal affairs and presence on the several boards contingent on his duties had won him wide respect and attention.

This area can ill afford to lose men of his calibre and both at the Veterans' Hospital and in the Esquimalt council chamber he will be badly missed. In service to his community and to his country, in war and peace, he made a mark distinctive to his credit.

This newspaper joins in extending to Esquimalt and to Mr. Sammon's family its sincere condolences in this sad and unexpected bereavement.

## Concluding Call

THE COMBINED YM-YWCA building fund appeal has reached towards three-quarters of its \$1,138,666 objective, a comforting response so far but one which still depends on local contributions to put the campaign over the top. Even amidst the plethora of fund appeals to which the community is obligated this is one that deserves particular support.

The new building will enhance the amenities of the local scene and carry forward in needed and valuable style the great work done for the youth of this area by both these long-established institutions. That work is well known and requires no elaboration. The record of service provided by the YM and the YW is fundamental to the community.

Generous outside contribution has been made to the fund and it is now from the Victoria area itself that the final effort must come.

One pleasing feature that should appeal to most people is that they won't be "dunned" at their doorstep. No residential canvass is being arranged, a factor that by its very absence should invite willing co-operation as a mark of appreciation. So much of the YM-YWCA activity is voluntary and it is in keeping with this spirit that voluntary contributions are now sought to bring the campaign to a successful conclusion.

The opportunity to help put the building drive over the top is contained in the donations which may be made to the "McKinnon" swimming pool, a centerpiece of the new structural design and a focal point of YM activity. It warrants the financial blessing of all who can assist.

## Thinking Aloud

"... of shoes, and ships,  
and sealing wax..."  
By TOM TAYLOR

I HAD thought myself, a year ago, that those dagger heels with the "winkle-picker" toes, as the trade in London calls them, were on the way out. Since this import from Italy had stuck mildly in so many iron gratings and ruined all manner of nice drawing room floors.

But no, as you may gather if you eye the girls on Douglas or any other local street, the shoe with the cone point and the stiletto heel still holds fashion sway.

Fashion it is that tells us what to wear, men not excluded, not what one might prefer. Although, of course, even if two girls don't like to meet at a party in the same style dress, color and all, the gentler sex still doesn't like to be out of the fashion swim.

No wonder midday is in a constant pickle, trying to be distinctive yet of the common mold at one and the same time.

But shoes now, they really are a wonder; feminine shoes, that is.

How some girls keep atop of themselves without falling flat over when perched on such skinny footwear only the gods can tell. It will be the gods themselves, no doubt, that looks after them.

And rightly, I suppose, for is it not said that God looks after babies and drunken men?

But getting back to the origin of this piece; the tenacity of women; or, perhaps more correctly, the fashion writers who misgives them. Apparently it was forecast last year that dagger shoes were out, written off by the fashion dictators as old hat.

To sport a winkle-picker would dub one a "square."

And so, to the disquiet of seamstresses, one big English shoe tycoon set his factories turning out square-toe shoes. But the girls didn't take the hint; they clung to the point. And his company's balance sheet is in the doldrums.

For once, you see, maybe merely to prove the opposite rule, namely put her own preference ahead of anything else, although why, as I have suggested, is a mystery.

As a mere male of course I am only an onlooker as the girls swing by in all the manifold styles they adopt, but I don't blame them for shunning the too-square toe. That to my aesthetic gear would be almost as unfitting as I think the winkle-toe to be.

Some sort of rounded toe would meet my specifications, if I were asked.

Possibly my dislike of pointed shoes stems from a pair I wore once myself. This was not long after I came to Canada, and since it seemed to be the male style in this new country of mine I was anxious to do in Rome what the Romans did.

So I crushed my toes into a leather apex. Never again thereafter, though. Not so dagger-like anyway. Although even the male can't escape the styles forced on him, you know. He has to hunt like a beast to find the things that have become "square" but which he wants to sling to.

Look for example at the sartorial tubes men are sticking their limbs into these days. Real pipe-stems they are, showing off many a leg far better hidden in folds.

I know that I myself have to do battle with my haberdashery every time I add to my wardrobe. He is bent on none of his customers being old hat as it were. And I'm beginning to believe he thinks I am a "square."

There is never much danger of a modern mis, or her grandfather either, for that matter, being a "square." No, not even if she suddenly changed her mind and adopted square-toed shoes. By some alchemy she'd make them seem just the latest thing.

And wearing the latest thing, you know, is what keeps the economy going, winkle-toes or no. Imagine this town with out feminine frills!



"Quit moaning. So the Gallup Poll has never asked you—maybe you're in the wrong socio-economic group!"



London Harbor

The end of the journey for Commonwealth immigrants

—Photo by T. O. Land

## Stopping the Flow of Unskilled

By THOMAS G. LAND from London

ON June 1 Britain's Commonwealth Immigrants Act will be one year old.

In the dawn of June 1, 1967, the first group of immigrants from India were refused entry into the United Kingdom at London Airport. Since then, at least 140 Commonwealth citizens have been shipped back to their lands of origin from various British ports and thousands of others rejected even before setting out for the "mother country."

However, the great stream of unskilled immigrants has been checked.

The act will be in force for another six months before Parliament determines its future. "We don't want to discourage people from coming to Britain—but we want to control their numbers," a senior official told me at the Immigration Office. "The law," he added, "has been enforced at the port much more smoothly than many feared."

Whatever the means, the world's shipping lines probably rue the day the Commonwealth Immigrants Act came into force. According to the latest

official figures, less than 5,000 West Indian immigrants entered the United Kingdom between June, 1962, and March, 1963. In the whole year of 1961, West Indian immigrants numbered more than 86,000.

Available figures on immigration to Britain cover only the first nine months of the act. While they cannot be objectively compared with previous totals for the whole year of 1961, they clearly indicate a sharp downward trend in immigration.

Officials decline to say whether the act has made any difference to the number of newcomers from Canada. Immigration from the so-called White Commonwealth—Canada, Australia, New Zealand and the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland—has been recorded only since last June.

These records show that 85,000 Canadians arrived in Britain during the June-March period; but 1,381 more left the country during the same time. (The British Travel and Holiday Association estimates, however, that more than 120,000 Canadian tourists should have spent

several weeks and nearly \$30,000,000 in this country before the year is over.)

During the first nine months of the act, the vast of the "White Commonwealth" also sent fewer immigrants to Britain than the number of their returning citizens.

How does the system operate? The British immigration machinery has undertaken an extensive publicity campaign overseas in an attempt to reduce the number of would-be immigrants who must be turned back from British ports. Those denied entry are taken back to their homelands at the expense of the airlines and shipping companies which brought them to Britain.

Since the act came into force, Commonwealth citizens who want to live and work in Britain must obtain a "employment voucher" from the Ministry of Labor. Vouchers are issued to people who have definite prospects of employment here; to those with qualifications valuable to the country; and to a limited number of immigrants without special skills who hope to find employment here. The

quota for this latter category has not been disclosed.

The only other way to settle in Britain is unlawful and expensive. If you have no employment voucher but can satisfy the immigration official on your arrival that you are a tourist—that is, if you can show him a return ticket or enough money to buy one—you will be admitted to Britain. Once inside the country, the newcomer is asked a few awkward questions.

It would be unfair to say that Britons in general like the act any more than do people in the Commonwealth. Rightly or wrongly, they felt that this was the only way to save the economy in the face of a flood of largely unskilled immigrants. Commonwealth immigrants, with the exception of those from the "White Commonwealth," numbered 21,600 in 1959. Their number grew to 57,700 in 1960 and to 136,400 in 1961. The majority came from the West Indies.

The immigrants have introduced problems which in the past Britain never had to face at home. The availability of a pool of unskilled labor has largely contributed to the creation of the industrial color bar which appears to be growing in this country.

Every now and then the color problem boils over. The latest major incident was the Bristol bus boycott: it ended with the victory of West Indians, who forced the local bus company to employ colored conductors. The struggle over the question of whether a Negro should be entitled to purchase bus tickets provided a picture of the colored immigrants' social position here.

In a recent edition of the Times of London concluded that there was a lesson to be learned from the Bristol incident.

The problem created by the presence of colored workers will have to be solved, the Times stresses, "if Britain of the coming decade is to be a good place to live in. It will be no use, even if it were morally irresponsible, just to let them (the colored immigrants) fend for themselves. The government have—reluctantly, it is true—adopted a negative measure of controlling the future entry of these immigrants under the Commonwealth Immigrants Act."

And there comes the clash. Defeat, as Opposition leader, now seems more content to wait.

## Without the Umbrella

### Very Naked Indeed

By ALASTAIR MATHESON from Nairobi

THE announcement this week by Mr. Tom Mboya, Kenya's minister of Labor, that Britain has no interest in maintaining her \$10 million military bases in Kenya after independence, focuses attention on the defence problem that faces each East African country as it becomes self-governing.

Neither Tanganyika nor Uganda have yet had cause to devote much attention to this aspect of their nationhood. In Uganda, Karamojong cattle raiders in the northeast have been causing trouble with other nomad tribes, while Bantu hillmen in the foothills of the Ruwenzori have been delaying the Toro Kingdom Government, thus drawing the attention of the central government to greater internal security measures.

Like Uganda, Tanganyika has some internal security problems, and uses its small force of Tanganyika Rifles to keep an eye on the Congo border in case of infringements by undisciplined Congolese troops, while a check has also been kept on the flow of refugees from Rwanda and Burundi.

In Kenya, the last of the three mainland East African territories to remain under British rule, the position is different. With neighboring Somalia indulging in spear-throwing, even inciting Kenya Somalis to take up arms to achieve their secession demands, Kenya's leaders are se-

riously concerned about the military situation. The Kenya African National Union (KANU), which seems to stand the best chance of forming Kenya's first independent government after the elections which began on May 18, is particularly worried over military unpreparedness, for it is already committed to securing the withdrawal of all British troops, aircraft and equipment before independence.

Without the protective umbrella of British troops and aircraft, Kenya would step into her new nationhood very naked indeed.

The whole of East Africa is, in fact, wide open to any determined aggressor, once Britain withdraws her forces. Good fighting men though they are, neither the King's African Rifles in Kenya, nor their counterparts, the Uganda and Tanganyika Rifles, possess any modern equipment. For artillery they have nothing heavier than three-inch mortars; they have no armored fighting vehicles, and the troops are armed with the obsolete .303 rifle backed by a few light machine guns.

Kenya's African leaders fully realize the military inadequacy of their local forces, but remain adamant—at least KANU does—that to have any foreign base, even a British one, would be against their avowed policy of non-alignment and avoiding any entanglements with either of the major Power blocs.

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## The New Cabinet

### Hon. A. Laing

By GORDON DEWAR

(One of a series of sketches on members of the new government.)

WHEN Northern Affairs Minister Arthur Laing was hit with a major problem, less than two weeks after he accepted his new cabinet post, he approached it with the directness he had learned in a long business career.

Floods and smashing ice floes struck Hay River and Fort Simpson in the Northwest Territories, damaging property and forcing the evacuation of the population.

Mr. Laing promptly flew to the area, saw the damage, met the people, told them how much aid they might expect from the federal government (not much).

Then he led an appeal for donated financial help and went to work on the cabinet to secure federal money. He got it and it was considerably more than he had promised.

That problem is not ended, but the new minister has already turned his mind and energy to other problems of Northern development, work he says he is very interested in and is very important to Canada.

A graduate in agriculture from the University of British Columbia in 1925, he entered the business field and in 25 years found success working for two different firms—a canny Scot and a risk-taking Canadian.

He has always been interested in politics, said Mr. Laing. He served for 13 years on the Vancouver school board and was his first try for provincial office in 1937. He lost then and again in 1941 and left the field for a while.

In 1949 he won a seat in the Commons for the Liberals, holding it until 1953 when he resigned to head the Liberal party in British Columbia.

He won a seat that time, but lost it in 1960 and did not seek office again until last year's federal election, in which he won in Vancouver South.

Now, as a cabinet minister, he looks upon his department as "one of the most interesting of the bunch."

He has no quarrel with former Prime Minister Diefenbaker's "visions" of the north—Mr. Laing stated that this is a land of riches which will be developed, with the aid of his department.

The principal needs are money and power, and he is already searching for private capital and a light, inexpensive form of power—a power-pack—which can be directed toward mineral and oil development.

Federal roads and railroads are helping, he said—there may be more.

He knows also the problems growing as modern technology runs into primitive people, but he believes his department has been and will be handling this job well.

"This is an extremely well-staffed department—I am highly fortunate in that way," he said.

## The Packback

### Put in The Clink

By GREGORY CLARK

AFTER an absence of 20 years, an old schoolmate of mine paid his first visit to the big city, his native place. He has been all that time a civil servant in northern Saskatchewan, quite content to make occasional excursions from his village to the nearest town. For all the marvels of the great cities, the pictures he saw in newspaper and magazine left him unprepared. After I had driven him around the city, and then parked while we walked around once familiar city blocks, he suddenly halted and started to laugh.

"Your poor souls!" he said. "Don't you see what your architects have done? Don't you see the jobs that has been played on you? These buildings are cell blocks. You're in prison. Just look at these cold, square institutions around us. See how they've even got the look of bars up and down them, and across. Cell blocks, ten, twenty, thirty stories high. You city people have been put in the clink, and don't know it."

He has gone home to his village, where the tallest building is the hotel, three stories, the top story seldom used. It is of a free-style school of architecture, looking like the habitation of footloose men.

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## With the Classics

Shall I wasting in despair,  
Die because a woman's fair?  
Or make pale my cheeks  
With care.  
Cause another's row are?  
Be she fairer than the day,  
Or the flowery meads in May.

If she be not so to me,  
What care I how fair she be?

—George Withers



## Kennedy, Macmillan Seem Sure to Meet

OTTAWA (Special)—President Kennedy and Prime Minister Macmillan will meet during the President's visit to Europe next month, says the London Sunday Times in a dispatch from Ottawa. Macmillan has long sought the meeting. Kennedy delayed a reply until he was sure France's de Gaulle did not want a similar parley.



## They'll Go See And Tell

These Victoria girls, who will spend summer as tourist counselors with the B.C. Toll Authority ferry system, start visit to Cariboo country among 35 girls, with chaperones, seeing first-hand sights they will recommend to tourists aboard ferries. From top are Linda Hargrave, Rachel James, Woody Martin and Sharon Riddison.

## 12-Mile Limit Threat To Puget Fishermen

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Republican Rep. Jack Westland of the state of Washington Monday urged U.S. Secretary of State Rusk to conduct "immediate and close consultation" with Canada to secure that U.S. fishermen would not be excluded by a Canadian 12-mile fishing limit. He said such a limit would threaten U.S. fishermen now taking their catch from Puget Sound.

## Ottawa Report

## Laing Ready to Talk Of B.C. Oil Rights

OTTAWA (CP)—Resources Minister Arthur Laing said Monday in the Commons he is prepared to discuss with Mines Minister Kiernan of B.C. the matter of continental shelf and offshore rights.

He said a date satisfactory to Mr. Kiernan would be selected. Mr. Kiernan had suggested a date after June 15.

The Canadian Universities Foundation asked the cabinet for \$300,000 in interim aid to meet a three-year enrolment crisis straining university facilities.

The group said this would carry the universities over until they can convene a royal commission of their own into finances to find means of obtaining enough money in a constitutional manner.

Opposition Leader Diefenbaker suggested it is improper for Agriculture Minister Harry Hays to continue to auction cattle.

He asked Prime Minister Pearson if the prime minister considers it appropriate for a minister to be so engaged. Mr. Pearson promised to discuss "the facts" with Mr. Hays.

## U.S. Issues Warning In Ship Fight

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The U.S. justice department Monday stepped into the U.S.-Canadian labor conflict on the Great Lakes with a warning: continuation of the strike could threaten U.S.-Canadian relations. It filed a "friend of the court" brief in federal court in Chicago asking for an injunction to stop the SIU from blocking loading of the Canadian grain ship Howard Shaw. The ship, whose seamen are represented by the SIU's rival, the Canadian Maritime Union, has been waiting empty at Chicago for more than a month because of SIU pickets.

## Socred Split Underlined

OTTAWA (CP)—Differences between the Social Credit party and its Quebec wing were underlined Monday in a warmly-worded statement of regret by party president Martin Klein at the resignation of a party official.

The former official is Fernand Ouellet, an organizer in Eastern Canada, who was expelled from the Quebec wing of the party May 12 for what Deputy Leader Real Caouette

called "continuing clandestine activities." Mr. Ouellet had quit on his own two days earlier.

The statement by Mr. Klein of Regina, issued here, identified Mr. Ouellet as executive director of the party's national association.

"It is unfortunate for our movement that we are to lose the services of such a young and capable personality," Mr. Klein said.

Mr. Ouellet had "proven himself to be a man of integrity beyond question, and it is hoped that in the future we may be able to call on Mr. Ouellet's services to assist in the promotion of Social Credit across Canada."

Mr. Caouette said Mr. Ouellet had been named party coordinator for the eastern provinces by Mr. Klein, but that



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## Knight Assist B.C. University

CHILLIWACK (CP)—Notre Dame University in Nelson, Western Canada's first private university, is to get \$50,000 toward establishing a micro-film library, it was announced here.

The grant will come from the charity foundation for higher education of the B.C. Knights of Columbus.

## Award Rejected By Oil Workers

VANCOUVER (CP)—Members of the Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers' union (OCA) have rejected a conciliation board recommendation calling for a 15-cent hourly pay increase in a two-year contract. The workers are employed by six major oil companies in the Lower Mainland area.

## Pesticide Curbs Adequate

OTTAWA (CP)—Food and drug regulations are adequate to deal with the harmful effects that might result from widespread use of modern pesticides, Health Minister Judy LaMarsh said in the Commons Monday.

If stronger measures are needed, however, the regulations can be tightened quickly and effectively, she added.

## Nuclear Jets Assure Canada's NATO Job

OTTAWA (CP)—Canadian willingness to arm RCAF CF-104 low-level jet bombers in Europe with nuclear warheads will permit Canada "to play its part" in the NATO nuclear force, External Affairs Minister Paul Martin said Monday in the Commons.

This "in no way" would make Canada a member of the nuclear club, Mr. Martin added to murmured protests from the opposition benches.

The minister twice declined a direct reply to Opposition Leader Diefenbaker's question whether the CF-104s will be armed with one-megaton bombs. A one-megaton bomb is the equivalent to 1,000,000 tons of TNT and is 50 times more powerful than the bomb which destroyed Hiroshima in 1945.

Mr. Martin said the Liberal government was merely carrying out the nuclear commitment made by Mr. Diefenbaker's administration in 1959.

DOUBT REMOVED

Reporting to the Commons on the NATO ministerial meeting here last week, Mr. Martin said during the throne speech debate that the government removed any lingering doubt among its allies about the commitments of the former government.

He said Defence Minister Paul Hellyer had told the NATO ministers that negotiations with the U.S. on a nuclear "costing" and control agreement had been resumed.

NO NEW PLEDGES

Mr. Martin said the government made no new commitments at the NATO meeting. But steps had been taken to discharge the role accepted for the armed forces by the previous administration.

If Canada didn't carry out these commitments, one or more of its allies would have to shoulder them, Canada would not foist on others the

this nomination had never been ratified by the national executive.

QUEBEC (CP)—Charles-Henri Robitaille, chairman of the executive of the Quebec wing of the Social Credit party in Quebec East constituency, said Monday he and 13 other members of the 20-man executive have decided to resign from the party.

Mr. Martin said the NATO nuclear force should go some distance toward improvement of integration of and control over nuclear weapons.

The outlook of the Geneva disarmament talks was so far from encouraging that it would be a mistake to slacken defence efforts. But the search for controlled disarmament must not be abandoned, even though real progress appeared some distance away.

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Shares of the leading U.S. base metal companies continued their decline with losses amounting to three points and lower on New York Stock Exchange.

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# Sugar Fortune Is Dissolving

By HARRY YOUNG  
Columnist Business Editor

Speculators are watching hundreds of thousands of dollars slipping out of their grasp as the price of sugar continues its decline.

They are unable to sell and establish profits because there are no buyers.

On the New York coffee and sugar commodity exchange there is a daily price fluctuation of half a cent a pound on sugar.

STILL NO RIDDER

When the market opened Monday, the price was dropped to the limit, and there were still no buyers.

The exchange has orders to sell 2,513 contracts—totaling 125,000 long tons—but it is unable to complete any of them at the present prices.

It is expected that today the price of sugar will drop another half cent a pound, and it remains to be seen if there will be buyers at that level.

Yesterday's New York price for July sugar was 11.85 cents a pound. This compares with a top of 12.85 cents at the middle of last week.

ABOUT EIGHT

Some sugar experts think there will be no trading in sugar until the drop in the daily limit has brought the price to about eight cents a pound.

Even at eight cents, however, sugar is selling well above its normal. It was 62 cents a pound in March this year before the panic button was pressed.

Speculators who bought sugar when it was low and did not sell out while the market was on the rise, are now in danger of losing most of their paper profits.

COULD LOSE ALL

Those speculators who came in at the top of the market are in danger of losing their shirts.

In London where sugar is traded in huge volume, the collapse of the market is just as complete as it is in New York.

The sugar dealers in London expect that there will be limit drops again today and perhaps Wednesday before any more sugar changes hands.

PROBABLY FFAK

What this means to the consumer is that the present prices probably represent a peak. As the commodity price slumps, the wholesale and retail prices will gradually assume more logical levels.

The world shortage has been grossly exaggerated, and the smart housewife will keep her sugar stocks at a low level so long as prices hold high.

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## Grain

WINNIPEG	Change
Alcan	+1/2
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## CHICAGO

WINNIPEG	Change
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## EGG MARKET

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**'Excited' Atom Splits Itself**

MOSCOW (AP) — Soviet scientists said Saturday they have observed spontaneous fission of the nucleus of an atom which is in an isomeric, or excited, state. The news agency Tass called it a "hitherto unknown physical phenomenon."

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## Average Laborer In Victoria Gets Small Wages

The average laborer in Greater Victoria takes home a small pay packet, according to information released by Ottawa Monday.

About one-half of the labor force of 37,500 men earns less than \$4,000 per year, said Anthony Roberts, director of the Capital Region Planning Board, who has just received the latest statistical information from the 1961 census.

The report said 17 per cent of the men here earn less than \$2,000 a year, 30 per cent from \$2,000 to \$4,000 and 53 per cent from \$4,000 to \$6,000.

The same report indicated nearly one-half of the 16,200 women in the labor force earn less than \$2,000 per year—40 per cent earn less than \$2,000 per year, 43 per cent from \$2,000 to \$4,000 and 17 per cent from \$4,000 to \$6,000.



## Fat Pilots Get Word

LONDON (AP)—The aviation ministry Monday ordered all overweight pilots flying British airlines to reduce or be grounded.

Said a ministry spokesman: "Medical experts have discovered airline pilots are as susceptible to coronary thrombosis as business executives."

# KANU Wins in Kenya

NAIROBI (AP)—Jomo Kenyatta's Kenya African National Union party Monday night became the party which will form the government to take Kenya to independence.

With one-third of the results

of the general election for Kenya's 117-member House of Representatives still to come in, it was announced that KANU had won 56 seats—an overall majority because of the boycotting of three seats by Somalia in the northeast region.

In a triumphant message, Kenyatta said: "On this great day in the history of our nation, I pledge that the KANU government which is about to take office will be guided in its task by the principles of democratic African socialism."

"We shall build a country where every citizen may de-

velop his talents to the full, re-

served only by the larger aim of building a fair society. The rights of all and of their property will be fully protected."

"There will be no privileges for any minority. Equally, we shall see that no member of any group undergoes discrimination or oppression at the hands of the majority."

The Kenya African Democratic Union party has 28 seats in the House of Representatives, KANU has 56 and the African People's party six. Five independents were re-

turned and 13 results were still awaited.

In the 41-seat Senate, where KADU was expected to prevail by tonight, KANU had 11 seats and KADU nine. In the six regional assemblies for which results are being declared, KANU had 60 seats tonight compared with KADU's 28.

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## U.K. Tories Hold Off Challenge

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Macmillan's Conservative government beat back a new challenge on its handling of the Enahoro case Monday night in an uproarious session of the House of Commons during which the prime minister could barely make himself heard.

An opposition Labor motion of censure was defeated 313 votes to 225. Enahoro, a Nigerian chief, was deported and returned home for a treason trial.

## 200 Students In Sports Day

Some 200 students from 10 elementary schools in the Sooke school district will participate in an inter-school sports competition Saturday.

The event, sponsored by the Sooke Parent-Teacher Council, will be held at the Belmont High School grounds in Langford, from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

## Cancer Fighter Installed

New cancer fighter which will shorten treatment times is examined by Royal Jubilee Hospital administrator George Masters. Cobalt "bomb" machine worth \$39,500 is being installed in new wing and should be in working order for opening day June 15. (Bud Kinsman)

## \$475,000 For Bug Bite

CLEVELAND (AP)—Lawyers have reached a settlement in the bug-bite case in which a jury awarded the late James Gallick \$475,000 against the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad for the loss of his legs. One guess placed the amount of the settlement at \$475,000 for his widow. Gallick claimed the railroad was negligent in having him work near a stagnant pool on railroad premises where he was bitten by an insect in 1954. An infection resulted in the amputation of his legs.

## Severed Toe Sewn Back

SPOKANE (AP)—Doctors who found a severed toe in the sock in an injured youth's shoe have rejoined it to the foot. It will probably be several days before surgeons know if the operation on William Hayett, 20, is a success. He lost the toe when a large rock fell on him.

## Scout Car Wash

Fairfield Rovers and Scout Group will hold a 50-cent car wash Saturday from 12 noon to 5 p.m. at the Fairfield Plaza Shopping Centre.

## Stamp Sale Sets Record

NEW YORK (AP)—A two-cent Hawaiian stamp was sold Monday night for \$41,000, a record for a single stamp sold at auction.

The stamp, issued in 1951 for use mainly by missionaries, is the only known copy which had not gone through the mails.

## Around Town

## Civil Defence College Opens

A total of 37 municipal and civil defence officials from all parts of B.C. Monday opened a four-day conference and exercise at Civil Defence College, Keating Crossroad.

The co-ordinators and elected municipal officials from each of the six civil defence zones in B.C. are listening to lectures on all aspects of civil defence and then breaking into groups to solve hypothetical problems based on the lectures.

New general manager at radio station CFAX is Clare Copeland, 38, who comes to Victoria after 14 years' radio

experience in Winnipeg, Edmonton, Toronto, Montreal and Vancouver.

Information on this summer's Paintings in the Parks program, from July 2 to Aug. 9, is available from Mrs. Robin Mee, 3852 Wilkinson Road, phone GR 9-6843.

She will discuss best class times. For \$10 the program offers instruction by qualified art teachers, a drawing board, a box of paints, a brush, a box of crayons, charcoal, India ink and paper.

Nearly 200 children will square dance on the Empress Hotel lawn between 7 and 8 p.m. Thursday night. The Alma Square dance program was originally set for Friday.

A man suffered severe facial cuts last night when he failed to negotiate a curve on Fairfield Road at Foul Bay Road. Norman Bruce Midler, 38, COGS St. Catharines, struck two telephone poles before coming to rest in a driveway at the corner of Shotbolt and Fairfield.

## U.S. to Buy More Gas From Canada

NEW YORK (CP)—Substantial increases in U.S. imports of natural gas from Canada are predicted in a detailed study of the industry released Monday by the Catawba Corp.

The company's study forecasts steadily increasing imports and says that by 1973 U.S. imports must be 10 times higher than at present if domestic consumer demand is to be met.

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## Marriage Laws Rapped

EDINBURGH (UPI)—The general assembly of the Church of Scotland Monday gave overwhelming support to a report condemning Roman Catholic laws on mixed marriages and urging their withdrawal.

## Inquiry Stumped

# Sulphur Ship's Loss Mystery 'Forever'

NEW YORK (UPI)—A U.S. Coast Guard board of inquiry said Monday the disappearance of the molten sulphur carrier Marine Sulphur Queen early last February probably will go down in history as one of the sea's great unsolved mysteries.



## Braille Book

A Braille edition of The Native Tribes of Canada, by Dr. Douglas Leechman of Victoria, will be published by the federal government, primarily for use by blind Indian and Eskimo children. He is a retired senior anthropologist for the national museum.

The board's preliminary opinion came after weeks of hearings both here and in Beaumont, Tex.

The board said "In view of the absence of any survivors and the physical remains of the vessel, the exact cause for the disappearance . . . could not be ascertained."

"The evidence indicates that the vessel apparently encountered high winds and rough seas on Feb. 3 while in the Gulf of Mexico and on Feb. 4 while approaching the Straits of Florida," the board said.

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## Speaking Briefly

# Ready for Admission

It's beginning to look as if professional golfs "big three" of Jack Nicklaus, Arnold Palmer and Gary Player will have to become the "big four." Fun-loving "Champagne Tony" Lema is demanding consideration.

The 29-year-old recent bridegroom added \$9,000 to his already impressive winnings this year when he came up with a fine rally yesterday to win the \$20,000 Memphis Open in a playoff with Tommy Aaron.

### BIRDIED IN

After rain forced postponement of scheduled rounds Saturday and Sunday, two rounds were played yesterday. Lema and Aaron trailed Harold

## Good Conduct Bonus Cut ...

# Fearsome Freddie Threatens to Quit Test Cricket

LONDON — Fred Trueman, blunt-speaking Yorkshire fast bowler who wears proudly the "bad boy" label of English cricket, is in trouble again with the game's top brass.

"Fearsome Freddie" exploded all over the sports pages in the sensation-seeking popular press when he threatened to "pave the way to a better England" by bowing another ball for England. This in itself was the season's biggest sensation because Trueman is England's chief hope to subdue the mighty West Indians bats.

### BY ONE THIRD

His anger this time was directed at the MCC and the decision of the supreme English cricket body to cut £50 off Trueman's £150 bonus for good conduct and contribution to team spirit during the winter tour of Australia.

Two other England players lost a third of their bonus but since the MCC has maintained a discreet silence over the whole affair and Trueman has failed to disclose their identity the two "offenders" have remained nameless to the public at large.

Trueman, however, has made it clear how he feels about the bonus cut recommended by England captain Ted Dexter and tour manager, the Duke of Norfolk, who severely reprimanded the players once during the tour for off-the-field behaviour.

In typical north England bluntness, the seventh son of a

Yorkshire miner caught the nation by surprise with his threat to quit test cricket and demanded a hearing before MCC officials to explain the reasons for the cut.

Many believe Trueman's threat was issued in the heat of the moment and that time and tact will smooth over the row. Trueman himself several days later indicated it wouldn't take much to change his mind.

## Birds Could Make It So

# Yanks Also-Rans At Last?

Has the American League finally come up with a club which can stick with it when the New York Yankees start one of their pursuer-losing streaks?

It appears so. The Yankees got themselves straightened away when they dipped to 12-12 earlier this month. They won 11 of their next 13, usually enough to discourage the most hopeful, but this time they actually lost ground. Baltimore Orioles have won 13 of their last 14, including their last eight, and head the defending champions by two-and-a-half games.

And the Orioles have played seven more games, a big plus when the Yankees have to start those catching-up doubleheaders.

Pitching when it was needed,

England needs Trueman against the West Indies, potentially the strongest batting side in world cricket today. His form at the moment is top-class and in the last three weeks he has blitzed the opposition, West Indies included, with both ball and bat.

In a five-match spell he has taken 38 wickets at less than nine runs each, wrecking the West Indians with 10 for 81 and

taking 10 Warwickshire wickets for only 36 runs. He also hit his first century in county cricket, a sparkling 104 against Northamptonshire, and was only once out for 75 runs against the West Indians.

Trueman, who has little trouble in playing the part of the nation's biggest cricket character, thrives in controversy. In 1953, he failed to receive his good conduct bonus

for the tour of West Indies and was consequently left out of England's next two tours.

He was later involved in a "bouncer" of controversy and last year was fined by his county club for failing to turn up for the start of a county match. His latest incident has again provoked comment on the treatment given those who play cricket for cash and those who don't.

One commentator, pointing out that the good conduct bonus is only paid to professionals, wrote that if players can't be trusted on tours they should be "treated as security risks." If they can they should be "treated as men, paid a man's salary, and not paid to be promised a lolly for being good boys."

Dexter himself was involved in another incident that raised eyebrows. The Sussex captain, again picked to lead England in the first test next month, withdrew from the MCC side to play the West Indians because of a shoulder injury. But before the end of the first day of the MCC match came the news that Dexter was playing for Sussex — and had bowled 12 overs. This prompted a quick "I'm more than surprised to hear Dexter has bowled" remark from MCC secretary Billy Griffith.

## Fine Header by Collie

# Sets Off Winning Rally

CARGO FLEET, England (AP)—This town's soccer team today blamed its weekend defeat on a goal-scoring dog.

Cargo Fleet was leading Britania Rovers 2-1. Brian Greenhalgh, winger for the Rovers, took a shot at the goal.

At that moment a collie standing near the goal jumped at the ball and headed it into the net.

That made the score Cargo Fleet 3, Rovers 2.

"We were rattled by the dog," said Cargo Fleet's captain Barry Cook.

Rovers kept on scoring and won 3-3.

Said Peter Baldwin, secretary of the North Yorkshire Referees' Association:

"The goal should not have been allowed, but the referee tells me that in his opinion the ball was going in anyhow, before it hit the dog, or the dog hit it. So I'm satisfied."

## Bill Gets Chance

# To Play Crawford

Bill Wakeham, Vancouver Island match play golf champion, and Vancouver professional Lyle Crawford, Lower Mainland match play king, are reported all set for their much discussed match.

According to reports, it will be held on Sunday, starting at 2 p.m., at the Uplands Golf Club. Crawford will make the trip to the Island for expenses, and proceeds will be equally divided between the Victoria "Y" building fund and the junior golf clinic scheduled at Chilliwack in July.

At stake in the 18-hole match will be a special trophy and, perhaps, the unofficial provincial match-play championship. An advance sale of tickets, at one dollar each, is expected to be held during the week.

## Margaret Todd

# Ladies' Medalist

Mrs. Margaret Todd, a many-time winner of this event, was medalist yesterday in the qualifying round of the city and district women's golf championship at Royal Colwood Golf and Country Club.

Mrs. Todd shot an E2. Defending champion Mrs. Shirley Naysmith had an 89 and another former winner, Mrs. Joan Lawson, shot a 91. Mrs. Lillian Thirwell and Mrs. Edna Hay both had 88s.

Sixteen qualified for championship match play which starts today at 9 a.m. Highest qualifying score was 100.

### THE DRAW:

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# Climbers 'Lost' On World's Roof

KATMANDU, Nepal (AP)—Painfully frostbitten, two members of the U.S. Mount Everest expedition returned to Katmandu Monday with a tale of being lost on the "roof of the world" and kicking each other with spiked boots to keep body circulation going in 18-below-zero cold.

There was a time, too, when the men who conquered the 29,028-foot summit lost their tempers.

This was the account of William Unsoeld, 36, of Corvallis, Ore., and Barry C. Bishop, 30, of Washington, D.C. They were flown to a hospital in Katmandu by helicopter for emergency treatment of badly frostbitten toes and frost-blackened fingertips.

They looked tired and obviously in pain, but still able to hobble.

Dr. Robert Berry of Alden, Pa., the American surgeon attending them, said after an examination that no surgery is contemplated now for either man. He added: "It cannot be determined yet if there is permanent injury or not."

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## Foundation Organized For Drug Evaluation

QUEBEC (CP)—The prescription drug industry Monday announced formation of a foundation to improve methods of evaluating new drugs and to stimulate interest in the work.

The Canadian Pharmaceutical Manufacturers' Association meeting here said the industry has pledged \$50,000 to support the foundation in its first year.

## 13 Functions All Poisoned

TORONTO (CP)—Four Toronto hospitals were flooded early Monday with about 250 persons, mainly Italian-Canadians, who contracted food poisoning Sunday. They had been attending 13 different functions.

Most were released after treatment but a few were admitted in serious condition.

Police blamed 12 orders of cakes and cream puffs filled by a bakery Sunday.

## River Drops

AKLAVIK, N.W.T. (CP)—The flood threat to this northern trappers' settlement was reduced Monday as the swollen Mackenzie River dropped three inches in a 36-hour period.

In Vancouver, insurance adjuster J. E. B. Hallett estimated flood damage in the Northwest Territories communities of Hay River and Fort Simpson at \$1,000,000.

# Patients Flee Fire

## Homes Burn In Montreal

MONTREAL (CP)—Another 10 families in Montreal's east end were left homeless Monday by a fire that started in a row of sheds behind houses on a downtown street. No injuries were reported.

There was no immediate indication whether the fire was the work of a pyromaniac who has been blamed for more than a score of fires in the same district since May 6, leaving about 100 families homeless.

CHICOUTIMI, Que. (CP)—Evacuation of all patients from the 300-bed Hotel Dieu Hospital was ordered Monday following the spread of a fire that broke out in one wing of the institution.

The first patients to be evacuated were 300 aged persons from the wing where the fire broke out.

Police would not confirm reports that threats had been received saying the hospital would be set on fire. The reports said three anonymous calls to this effect were received at the hospital Sunday.

There were no reports of any injuries.

Hospital authorities sent out a call for tractor trailers and

trucks to transport the aged and bed-ridden patients to other hospitals in this Lake St. John area, about 130 miles north of Quebec City.

The flames spread rapidly, believed to have been fed by cylinders of oxygen and propane gas stored in the cellar.

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Church Cathedral. A third generation funeral director, Mr. Chaplin planned the new chapel through the years. Preliminary plans for the building, including an inter-denominational chapel to seat 100 were submitted to the National Funeral Directors' annual convention in Minne-

apolis in 1961 where it formed the basis for discussion. Apart from minor changes, the plan received enthusiastic approval of delegates. Construction began in the winter of 1962 to provide winter work and was completed recently.

Construction of the new chapel on one level eliminates difficulty with wheelchairs. Movable walls have been used in the design—at the rear of the chapel to allow for additional accommodation, and in one of the private family rooms to make it, in effect, part of the chapel.

A spacious, carpeted foyer forms the entrance to the chapel.

"We built this new chapel to meet the needs of the people of Victoria," Mr. Chaplin said yesterday. "After 14 years experience we felt better facilities are needed with the increased growth of the city."

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## Economy Soaring, Says Bonner

# B.C. 'Off and Running'

B.C.'s economy is "off and running" for 1963, an enthusiastic Trade Minister Robert Bonner said Monday.

"Figures for the first quarter of 1963 show almost all sectors of the economy exceeding the high levels attained in 1962," said Mr. Bonner.

He felt that the awarding of the \$73,000,000 Peace River Dam contract has "had an incalculable psychological impact on business thinking," and that further stimulus stems from "promise of action on the Columbia this year."

He noted unemployment has

dropped from 8.5 per cent of the labor force in March to 6.7 per cent in April.

Labor income in February totalled \$178,000,000 — up from \$168,900,000 for the same month in 1962. The industrial weekly wage reached \$30.40 compared with \$27.62 a year earlier.

Mr. Bonner said financial gains exceeding 10 per cent were registered by general stores, automobile dealers, family clothing stores, shoe stores, hardware stores, furniture, appliance and radio stores and that gasoline consumption is up 3 per cent. Department store sales rose 9.8 per cent.

March fish landings worth \$932,000 showed a 50 per cent gain over a year ago and the

February timber scale was up 11 per cent.

Crude oil production doubled during the first two months of the year, natural gas production rose 13 per cent, lead 11 per cent, iron 73 per cent.

Coal production continued its downward trend — off 17.5 per cent — and crude oil deliveries to B.C. refineries was down 2.5 per cent.

March tourist permits were up 22 per cent over the same month a year ago and for the first quarter are 13 per cent above last year.

Waterborne shipments out of Vancouver were up seven per cent for the first quarter and inbound shipments rose 13 per cent.

## Hands Off U.S. Africans Decide

ADDIS ABABA (UPI) — Thirty African nations, united for the first time in the Organization of African Unity, promised Monday to fight to end white rule in colonies but stay out of U.S. racial troubles.

President Toure of Guinea outlined OAU policy in a news conference following the signature of the organization's charter. He said Africa condemns discrimination against Negroes in Alabama, but he praised President Kennedy's efforts at protecting civil rights.

"We are backing this government in its struggle but we cannot intervene," he said.

**REPLACES GROUPS**

The OAU, born in five days of summit talks among leaders from the Mediterranean to Madagascar, replaces smaller rival groups of African nations.

Its aims are to push the economic and social progress of the continent's 200,000,000 Africans and to "liberate" by force if necessary, the millions of other Africans living under white rule.

## Black Threat 'Hot Air'

JOHANNESBURG (AP) — South Africa's white supremacist government has dismissed as "so much hot air" the warnings of boycotts and military action issued by African leaders at a summit conference in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

Nevertheless, Foreign Minister Eric Louw and Defence Minister James Fouché said Sunday South Africa will be prepared for any eventually and will strengthen its guard.

## Around the World

# Italy Returning To Mafia Probe

ROME — The Italian parliament will soon start an investigation of the mafia which was delayed by general elections, chamber president Giovanni Leone said Monday.

A chamber-senate committee to investigate the Sicilian underworld organization was set up early this year, but never started work because the old parliament was dissolved for elections April 22.

WASHINGTON — Democratic Congressmen said it was "outrageous" that the U.S. handed Russia maps showing undersea cables linking DEW Line stations in Newfoundland and Greenland.

The Pentagon said the maps were given to Russia so Red trawlers would not break the cables and claimed cutting the cables would do no good because of jamproof radio communications.

MOSCOW — Pravda accused the U.S. and British embassies of cultivating "depraved" citizens for espionage. It warned Russians may boycott western diplomatic receptions and avoid all social contact with foreigners.

ZURICH, Switzerland — For the second time in 14 months, the male voters of this tiny, neutralist nation upheld their government's right to use nuclear arms if it wants. By 450,484 to 273,335, voters rejected a proposed constitutional amendment that "any decree on equipping the Swiss army with nuclear weapons is subject to a mandatory popular vote."

BERLIN — East Germany backed down in the face of U.S. determination and opened the road to Steinbocken, a tiny U.S. sector enclave a mile inside East Germany. East German police worked through the night to remove barriers on the road.

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## First Subcontract Let On Peace Project

VANCOUVER (CP)—A Calgary firm has won the first major subcontract for work on the massive Peace River dam project, it was announced Friday.

Alberta Trailers Co. (1961) Ltd. was awarded the contract for supplying a trailer living complex and catering for a 1,000-man camp by Kiewit-Dawson-John, general contractors.



## Relic of the Past

Surprising sign was seen inside new off-street parking garage being built for city council on Yates at Langley. It is relic of days—not so long ago—when property was privately owned and will be removed during construction of public garage.—(Ted Shackelford)

## Courtroom Parade

# Boys Admit Break-In

One method of making \$500 less driving, \$15 for having no insurance and \$25 for no driver's licence.

A carton of fine sawdust which recently blew up in a fireman's face resulted in Rockland Enterprises entering a plea of guilty to failing to comply with safety regulations and paying a fine of \$50.

The carton was left outside a company project at 935 Colinson and when it started to smoulder firemen were summoned.

Assistant chief William Wiggins was severely burned in the explosion.

**PLEADED GUILTY**

The statement showed Woods was the organizer with West as lookout and a juvenile as getaway man. Both the accused pleaded guilty.

Magistrate William Ostler remanded the pair to June 4 for a probation report.

A man who told police "I must have been out of my mind," pleaded guilty to impaired driving and was fined \$250.

Police found Justin S. Marty, 119 Superior Street, pounding on the hood of his car after it struck a traffic island near the Fountain Circle Saturday night. Marty's driver's licence was suspended.

A sailor charged with careless driving and having no driver's licence or insurance took exception to the careless driving charge but decided to plead guilty.

Court was told John Himbury, HMCS Skeena, was driving on Belmont with his lights out. The car turned onto Denman and struck a parked car.

Himbury told the court he didn't think the careless driving charge was justified.

He was fined \$45 for careless driving.

## Trail Ride Big Success

Some were a little stiff, others a little sore and there were even a few blisters but on one thing all were agreed—this year's 100-mile trail ride was an unqualified success.

"We'll definitely put on another ride," said spokesman Merle Rimmer.

A spokesman for the Garden City Horsemen's Club, he said last night 58 riders completed the arduous ride which was 20 miles longer than planned due to a detour made necessary by a fire hazard in the Greater Victoria watershed. At least two horses were replaced during stops.



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# Rich Negroes Aid the Cause

By ARTHUR BERMAN

LOS ANGELES (LAT)—Demands for "freedom and human dignity" for Negroes were sounded Sunday as 30,000 enthusiastic spectators attended the largest civil rights rally ever held here.

Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., leader of the southern anti-segregation movement, was the featured speaker at the three-hour meeting "in support of the Birmingham movement." It was held at Wrigley Field, former home of the Los Angeles Dodgers.

A number of entertainment stars and civil rights leaders also spoke and helped collect thousands of dollars in offerings to support the Alabama Non-Violent Movement.

Although no total was immediately available, it was apparent huge sums were contributed by spectators. Entertainer Sammy Davis Jr. personally pledged \$20,000—one week's earnings at Las Vegas—and told the crowd before embracing Dr. King.

"I can only say that my leader is your leader—Martin Luther King."

Numerous donations ranging from \$25 to \$2,000 from churches, union locals and other organizations also were announced.

Although the money is des-

tined to aid the Birmingham demonstrators, speakers made several references to racial inequality here.

"You can help us in Birmingham," Dr. King said, "by getting rid of any segregation and discrimination that exists in Los Angeles."

Charging that "de facto" segregation here, stemming from concentrations of Negroes in certain districts is as bad as Birmingham's segregation, Dr. King said "injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere."

## 'One Leg in a Cast'

WASHINGTON (UPI)—U.S. Secretary of State Rusk called on Americans Monday to solve racial problems which he said are causing "deep injury" to the U.S. abroad.

Rusk said that, because of remaining U.S. racial barriers, U.S. diplomats must conduct foreign policy like someone running in a foot race "with one of our legs in a cast."

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Members of Rotary Anns make final plans for the coffee and tea party in the Yacht Club May 30. The affair, which will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2:30 to 4 p.m., will feature home cooking and novelty stalls as

well as a raffle and door prizes. Pictured are, left to right, Mrs. Verne Davidson, Mrs. Tom Little, Mrs. Harry Wilkinson and Mrs. Eric Dowell.—(Robin Clarke)

## Pink and White Theme In St. Paul's Church

Brocade, patterned in rosebud design, formed the short-length gown worn by Patricia Carolyn Gardier for her marriage to Clarence Otto Christensen in St. Paul's Church Saturday afternoon. The gown was styled with a sweetheart neckline, elbow-length sleeves and a skirt featuring a slim bust and not pleats at sides and back. A crystal and pearl coronet held the pouff veil. Pink roses and feathered carnations were in her bouquet. Her only jewelry was a single strand of pearls, gift of the groom.

Pink and white snapdragons were at the altar for the ceremony. Rev. J. A. Roberts officiated and the organist was David Palmer.

Parents of the principals are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gardier, 42 Obed Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Christensen, 832 Colville Road. Mr. Gardier gave his daughter in marriage.

A full-skirted gown of deep pink peau de soie with matching hair band was chosen by maid of honor, Miss Kathy Martin. She carried a bouquet of carnations in various shades of pink.

Five-year-old niece of the bride, Karen Gardier, was flower girl in a frock of sparkie chiffon over pink taffeta, tied with a matching sash and trimmed with pink lace. Her flowered headband matched her

posy of pink carnations that was centred with a pink rose.

Lawrence Christensen was best man and ushers were Ronald Gardier and Francis Christensen.

Pink roses and carnations flanked the three-tier wedding cake on the head table at reception in Holyrood House.

J. Gilmour proposed the toast. Leaving on a honeymoon trip-up-island, the bride wore a beige dress, oatmeal toned coat, flowered hat in beige and green tones and accessories in smoked oyster shade.

Newlyweds will make their home in Calgary, Alta.

## ANN LANDERS



Dear Ann Landers: My youngest brother is being married this fall to a girl who comes from a fine family. I have never met her or her people. They live several thousand miles away.

Last week I received a letter from the bride-to-be and she has asked me to be her matron of honor. I would like to accept but something is holding me back.

During World War II I ran around with a pretty fast crowd. A bunch of us girls who worked in the PX went out one night and had our arms tattooed. I especially admired Skinny Wainwright at the time so his name is tattooed on my left arm. On my right arm is an eagle carrying a streamer which says, "Buy War Bonds."

All these years I've been wearing long-sleeved dresses because I am ashamed of the tattoos. A matron of honor has to wear the gown selected by the bride, and such gowns are usually sleeveless. Shall I tell her I can't accept and give no reason?—SPINNING HEAD.

Dear Head: A tattoo can be removed. See a dermatologist about details. If you are unable or unwilling to afford the time and expense, ask your future sister-in-law for the privilege of selecting your own gown—inviting her suggestions about color and fabric of course. Then select a dress with sleeves or wear long gloves.

Dear Ann Landers: Why do people think that just because we have eight children we need their worn out, faded, discarded clothing? I've made floor rags out of better cloth-

not consciously insulting you. They don't know any better, and it's time you told them.

Simply let them know you appreciate their kindness but you don't need any clothing for your children. Suggest that they call Goodwill Industries or one of the local welfare agencies.

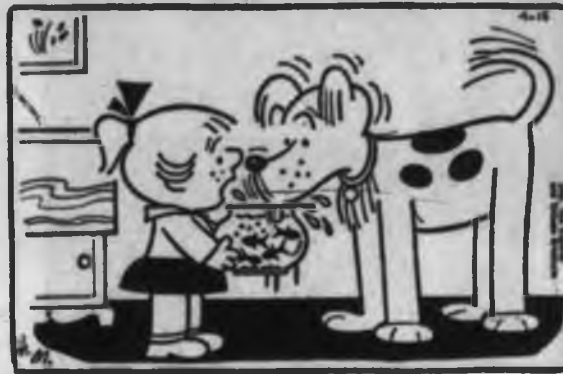
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At the recent meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary to Pro Patria, branch no. 31, Royal Canadian Legion, a life membership pin was presented to Mrs. A. E. Macdonald by president, Mrs. W. P. Trase.

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By Harry Mace



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ball are Barry Gelling, Sharon Thompson MacKay, Florence Hall, Lloyd Doidge and Barbara Taylor, front row, and standing, Don Shea, Connie Ballam and Edward Conway.

## IODE Asks For Red Ensign

A resolution asking the federal government to name the Red Ensign the official flag of Canada was passed Monday by the national chapter of the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire. The 29,000-member voluntary patriotic service organization reaffirmed its belief that the Red Ensign signifies Canada's multi-cultural heritage.

"Canadian citizens are particularly struck by the irony of their country's situation," when newly-independent countries fly their own flags, IODE national president Mrs. Peter L. Robinson of Toronto said.

Several times since 1945, when an order in council permitted the Red Ensign to be flown from all federal government buildings, the order has asked for official endorsement of this flag.

The 400-delegates from across Canada attending the five-day meeting voted to establish an IODE Canadian Centenary Fund with a minimum objective of \$50,000 to be raised by 1967. The project to be undertaken with this fund will be decided no later than the order's 1965 annual meeting.

## IODE to Give \$500 to Fund

A gift valued at \$500 for use in construction of the Fathers of Confederation Memorial Building in Charlottetown, will be presented by the National Chapter of Canada's Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire.

The announcement was made by Mrs. Peter L. Robinson, of Toronto, national president of the order, after an executive meeting prior to yesterday's opening of the IODE annual meeting.

Wishes of the gift will be decided after consultation with the architects and building committee of the memorial.

## Clubs

**WBA**  
Provincial rally of the Women's Benefit Association will be held in Chemainus May 30. Victoria Group Review No. 1 will be going to Chemainus Thursday morning. Those attending will be Mrs. K. Schmidt, Mrs. A. Taylor, Mrs. J. Bowden, Mrs. A. Ritchie, Mrs. E. Longden, Mrs. K. Jackson and Mrs. E. Harrison. Any others interested contact Mrs. A. Ritchie.

**GARDEN PARTY**  
FULFORD — The Garden party and tea, with a home cooking stall, sponsored by St. Mary's Guild, will be held on Wednesday, May 26, at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. E. Leech will open the tea.

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## PERSONAL MENTION

This afternoon the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Pearkes will give a garden party for delegates attending the annual meeting of the National Chapter, IODE. Tomorrow, His Honor and Mrs. Pearkes will cross to Vancouver where they will attend the performance of Macbeth at the opening night of the Vancouver International Theatre.

### Pink and White Basket

Miss Pat Evans, bride-elect, was honored at a miscellaneous shower when Mrs. A. Gough entertained in her Cochrane Street home. Miss Evans was presented with a corsage of white carnations. Her mother, Mrs. H. Evans, her grandmother, Mrs. A. Sedgman and Mrs. Holburn, the groom-elect's mother, were also presented with corsages. Gifts were contained in a pink and white basket, covered with a gay parasol. There were about 20 guests present.

### Victorians in Toronto

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Johns, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. McDougall and Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Menner of Victoria are guests of the Royal York Hotel, Toronto.

### Honorable Mentions

Pat Daniel and Veronica Harrison of Victoria, received honorable mentions for their work submitted to The Oregon Awards for Creativity show at the University of Oregon. Eugene. The girls, Grade 12 students of Mr. Bill West at Oak Bay Senior High School, hope to continue in the field of art. The competition is open to all high school seniors in California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Alberta, British Columbia, Yukon and Alaska.

### Saskatchewan Visitor

Mrs. All Gray came from Turtleford, Sask., to attend the golden wedding celebration of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John McGeehan, 222 West Burnside Road. Mrs. Gray was here for a week.

### Move to Fulford

FULFORD — Mr. and Mrs. W. Dodds formerly of Winnipeg, have moved into their home in Burgoyne Valley. They purchased the property last year from Mr. and Mrs. A. Finney, who are now living in New Zealand.

### Wedding Guests

Out-of-town guests at the Fitzsimmons-McCain wedding were Alderman and Mrs. B. A. Emery, Mr. and Mrs. R. O'Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Cole, Mr. Pat Jeffery, Mr. and Mrs. William Kunzer, Mr. Ian Kennedy, Misses Marilyn and Karen Beck, all of Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Cross, West Vancouver and Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Meadows, North Surrey.

### Attend Seattle Conference

Mrs. E. Conrad of Victoria Toastmistress Club and Mrs. M. Butt of the Arboretum Club went to Seattle for the weekend to attend the Northwest Regional Conference, which concluded International Toastmistress Week.

### Jet to Bermuda

Mrs. Dorothy Rawlinson and Mrs. Norma Hutt of Victoria will leave by jet June 1 for Bermuda, where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones, Malahat Cottage, Paget East, Bermuda.



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## Leadership Lack Scored

A report prepared by National Civil Defence Secretary Mrs. John B. Rooney of Ottawa said there is a lack of leadership in civil defence throughout Canada.

"There is a growing disenchchantment across the country with the leadership being given at the federal and provincial levels," the report said.

Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Newfoundland were mentioned specifically as wanting in provincial civil defence leadership.

### "POLICY LACKING"

Mrs. Rooney found that in Ontario, "while every effort was made to interest members through films, pamphlets and speakers, a lack of specified policy for the order to follow was hampering programs."

Active participation was evident in the Maritimes, the report said.

"At least in this part of the country, an awareness of the need for knowledge to survive, stimulated by provincial authorities is very apparent."

In Quebec, the order has been asked to participate in provincial civil defence programs.

### JUBILEE WA

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital will meet at the nurses' residence May 29 at 2:30 p.m.

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## Changing Conditions Challenge To IODE Educational Services

The grand total of \$351,931 was spent on education by the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire, Mrs. George E. Tait, educational secretary, reported at the annual session at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Tait told members "we are living in a time when knowledge is expanding at an explosive speed. The bewildering implications of the technological age bring us to the realization that education must be patterned in accord with the discoveries of our time." She added there was a degree of excitement for the Order in meeting the challenges of these changing conditions.

Mrs. Tait posed the question to the meeting whether the educational work, as vast as it is at present, is in keeping with modern trends in education.

"Are we making the best possible use of funds available to student assistance and should we be looking for interest rather than giving our funds, so that more students will benefit?" she asked.

"We must prune, modify, streamline and revive at each chapter level so that we make an efficient, flexible, modern approach to IODE awards," she stated.

In order to keep pace with the swift-moving development in modern education Mrs. Tait suggested that serious consideration be given to:

- greater emphasis on cultural growth through assistance to national institutions in the fine arts;
- more interest-free loans to students in addition to the outright gifts;
- greater attention to support of students engaged in technical and vocational education;
- expansion of activities in the northland;
- continuance of alert promotion of multi-cultural understanding;
- extension of adult education;
- participation by members in national, provincial and local organizations devoted to education.

The IODE provided 680 bursaries; 257 scholarships; 274 grants; 75 loans and 703 prizes at a cost of \$169,611. A total of 2,184 schools, including 50 in the Caribbean and British Honduras, were assisted and assisted.

Libraries, calendars, pictures of The Queen, magazine subscriptions, flags, gifts, supplies, and prizes were provided for schools at a cost of \$63,426.

Mrs. R. C. Bennett in presenting the First World War Memorial report showed that \$64,600 was expended to enable

scholarship and bursary holders to obtain degrees in British and Canadian universities.

The treasurer, Mrs. R. C. Latimer reported total money raised by chapters across the country was \$1,004,893.47 and disbursements were \$1,035,131.49.

More than \$5,000 remaining in the IODE Canadian Eskimo Fund, started in 1958 to build a community hall for the Eskimos at Frobisher Bay in the Eastern Arctic, will be divided among the three halls which have been built under the fund for equipment, Mrs. Latimer reported.

About 30 per cent of the \$437,800 welfare services money had been spent overseas, Mrs. W. T. Atkins said in giving the report on Services at Home and Abroad.

The national secretary said there is a pressing need for

donations toward emergency disaster relief and shipments of milk and X-ray material to Korea.

She said IODE chapters last year contributed \$21,456—all of which was spent — to these funds.

More than 600 cases of clothing, bedding, toys, yard goods, X-ray material and powdered milk were shipped to Jordan, Uganda, Morocco, Hong Kong, Greece, Italy, India and Korea.

In addition, more than \$204,800 worth of blankets, quilts, woolen shawls and clothing were sent to many countries including Great Britain, which experienced one of its coldest winters on record.

In Canada, the IODE spent more than \$36,250 on food parcels, which often included cod liver oil and vitamins for many

Canadian veterans and their dependents.

Locally, chapters undertook projects to assist the blind, mentally-ill or retarded, senior citizens and cerebral palsy patients.

Mrs. Atkins' report showed more than \$42,000 was spent on these services and on equipment for hospitals and clinics.

### SEND TOYS, BOOKS

Games, toys and books were sent to the far North, and 45,000 pocket books were distributed in hospitals, jails, men's institutions and in ships in port.

Temporary welfare assistance to Canada's unemployed will be continued for another year, it was decided following Mrs. Atkins' report.

## Clubs and Societies

**ST. ALBAN'S**  
St. Alban's 50-Up Club will meet in the parish hall, 1468 Ryan Street, May 30, at 2 p.m.

### BAKE SALE

The Victoria Girls' Drill Corp is holding a sale of homemade food on May 31 from 5 to 9 p.m. at the Town and Country Shopping Centre. A decorated cake will be raffled. Members of the Corp will perform in the parking lot at 7 p.m. Proceeds will send the girls on their annual trip, this year to the Calgary Stampede.

### JOBS DAUGHTERS

Bethel No. 27, Job's Daughters Mothers' Club, will hold a rummage sale at Harmony Hall.

Town and Country Shopping Plaza, May 31 at 7 p.m.

### EVENING BRANCH

Evening branch of Christ Church Cathedral Women's Auxiliary will meet June 6 in the Memorial Hall at 7:45 p.m.

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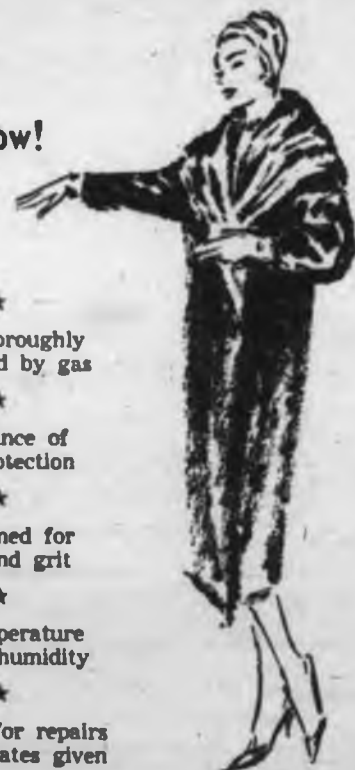
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## Garden Notes

# Radishes Won't Keep

By M. V. CHESNUT, FRHS

I think my gardening career started on the day my dad handed me a packet of radish seeds and allowed me to sow a short row all on my own.

I can still remember the wild excitement I felt when the first seed leaves came popping through the soil surface, and the impatience that drove me to keep pulling up the plants to see if there were really and truly radishes forming underground. I imagine almost every child makes his first gardening experiment with this easiest of all vegetables.

While these seeds never fail to germinate and grow, there are a few tricks of the trade to be learned if you are to have mild and crisp radishes all through the growing season rather than those peppery hot woody ones or hollow, spongy, tasteless specimens so common through the hotter part of the summer.

While radishes are not in the least fussy as to where they are to grow, they do have a mild preference for soil which is reasonably fertile and well drained, and with a fair amount of lime in it. For the technically-minded, a pH range of 6.2 to 6.7 suits the radish to perfection.

Actually, the texture of the soil

is far more important than the nutrients it contains or its pH value. For this reason, I make it a practice to mix a little peat moss into the top two inches, in a strip six inches wide, to keep the soil loose and friable and more retentive of moisture. To guard against wormy radishes, I dust the strip very lightly with chlor-dane dust and scratch it into the surface with the rake.

The favorite radish in our family is one called Cherry Belle, a variety that originated in Holland and is stocked nowadays by seedsmen everywhere.

Cherry Belle is a little beauty, round and smooth, a little less than an inch across, and resembling a cherry in both shape and color. There is no white tip to it, and it is without doubt the fastest-growing of the whole radish tribe, maturing in just 23 days.

Another radish we grow is White Icicle, shaped like a small carrot and pure white in color, crisp and mild in flavor and contrasting beautifully with the bright red Cherry Belle in the salad bowl.

One thing you must remember in growing radishes is that you can't leave them in the ground, like a food bank, until you are ready to eat

them. This works fine with carrots and parsnips, but radishes are at their peak of flavor and crispness for only a few days after reaching maturity, and if you don't pull them and eat them immediately, they start going downhill in quality.

For this reason, I think it is silly to devote a whole long row in the vegetable plot solely to radishes. They would all "turn in" at the same time, and you'd be eating radishes until they were coming out your ears. You couldn't possibly use them up fast enough, and before you could work your way through the glut, the unpulled roots would turn pithy and hollow.

Little and often is the golden rule for sowing radish seed, and for our family we put in about three yards of row every weekend, spacing the seeds 1½ inches apart in the row. In this way we have a new small batch of radish reaching their peak of crunchiness goodness every week throughout the growing season.

Our radishes don't even get a row to themselves, as I find we can raise all we can eat in the spaces between the slow-growing things like asparagus and cabbage. The little 23-day Cherry Belles will be pulled and eaten long before the rightful occupants of the row need the room.

## JOHN CROSBY Welcomes Spring

# Space Wasted on People

## Rome's Huge Piazzas Ideal for Car Parks

ROME—In Rome one should never work, says the hall porter regretfully. Of course, we all have to, but it is a pity. Especially in this weather, which is magnificent.

In Rome, as I write this, the Pope is ill. The Italians are without a government. The Italian movie industry is going bust, parts of it anyway. A beautiful German girl with 140 men's names in her little black book has been knifed to death and the penny press is going wild.

Still, the real news is the weather. This is truly the Eternal City, if only because it celebrates that eternal custom called spring.

You wander through the streets in a shower of sunshine admiring the magnificently proportioned buildings. Gold? Ochre? Mustard? What is the color of Rome? The windows are miracles of proportion and that too is obsolete.

I woke to the sound of the bells and wandered out into the Piazza di Montecitorio, then drifted into the Piazza Navona with its superb Renaissance houses fronting on the square with its three magnificent fountains.

There I sat on a bench and watched a boy dip his handkerchief into the Bernini Fountain, that cascade of baroque sculpture and gushing water at the centre of the piazza, and leave his girl's brow.

It's pleasant there in the piazza, watching the lovers and listening to the splash of the fountain. I pulled out a copy of the European edition of the New York Herald Tribune and fell to

reading a plan proposed by the Architectural League and the Park Association of New York to bring some of the fragrance and charm of European outdoor living to New York.

The two groups proposed, as a start, to turn three macadamized midtown parking lots into sitting and eating parks with water cascades at each end, the whole covered with flowers and ivy, as refreshment to the human spirit.

But, it says here, Traffic Commissioner Henry Barnes has scoffed at the whole notion, citing prohibitive land cost in the heart of the city and the need of the land to get more cars off the street.

Well, of course, Commissioner Barnes is right. I look around the Piazza Navona. My God, how they waste space, these Italians. The piazza is the size of a football field. And what's in it? Lights, air, people. Ridiculous. You could probably get 400 cars in there with a little crowding. Maybe 600.

Have to take the fountain out, of course. That Bernini Fountain in the middle. A waste of space. Could get 20 Cadillacs parked on that site alone. Land cost too prohibitive for fountains. Everyone knows that. Except Italians.

I look around. Kids playing soccer, wasting a lot of space. They ought to be off in an alley, practicing their juvenile delinquency, like all the other kids. Imagine taking perfectly good parking space and giving it over to children! Italians are nuts.

And, if you have to bathe your girl friend's brow, what are bathtubs for?

## The Little World of SHEILAH GRAHAM

# Burton Afraid to Fly

HOLLYWOOD (NANA) — Richard Burton can use Tony Curtis' hypnotist. Richard suffers from the same fear of flying that made travelling a long dreary pain for Tony. A few sessions with a hypnotist, and Tony not only went aloft, but he insisted on taking over the controls.

They're still trying to have Burton and Elizabeth Taylor attend the June 12 premiere of Cleopatra but afraid-to-fly, Burton would have to take 10 days off from his Becket film in London to travel by ship. And that is impossible. Liz is a flier from "way back. But no Burton for the premiere, no Liz.

Kim Novak completes Of Human Bondage the middle of June. And June 18 is the date she is whispering for her marriage to British newspaperman Roderick Mann. ... We shall see.

Peter Sellers buys new car with every picture. He'll never get to be the millionaire he wants to be at that rate. He seems to make dozens of pictures a year. Maybe it only seems like that because he plays so many parts in each one.

In Kirk Douglas' latest — the very suspenseful List of Adrian Messenger, Bert Lancaster, Tony Curtis, Robert Mitchum and Frank Sinatra play powerfully dramatic roles under heavy disguises. I could not figure out who was which, until they individually tore off the make-up at the very end.

Eddie Fisher was a proud father when five-year-old son, Todd, played the black cat in a school play. "My son's first performance," Eddie told me. "My daughter is even more of a ham. She's going to be an actress for sure." It's nice that Eddie can see his own children all the time now, although he was a devoted step-father to Elizabeth Taylor's.

Fabian's on-and-off feature film based on his controversial TV show, Walk Like a Tiger, is on again. He plays a young killer. And Brenda Scott, his favorite girl, looks likely to be his girl in the picture. Brenda, 19, looks like a young Laraine Day.

Dody Goodman, in the Brando picture, will wear a cool million dollars worth of jewelry by Cartier, to go with her new strawberry blond hair. And a Jean Louis wardrobe. You can do no better than that.

Tony Curtis is after blond Dorothy Provine for Playboy, and she would make a lovely bunny. But she may have to say no because of her date in Las Vegas with George Burns. In that case Paula Prentiss will be the girl.

I doubt whether they can ever make a film of the Tammy Grimes' show, Rattle of a Simple Man. It's all about that one topic and when and if it is going to happen. I thought Tammy was terrific. And her British co-star, Edward Woodward, is another stalwart in the new army of fine English-accented actors.

# He Ignores Educational Theories

By RUDOLF FLEISCH

Here I'm back again on the subject of teaching children how to read. As followers of this column know, I believe firmly in first teaching the alphabet and the sound of each letter. (In most U.S. schools today children are expected to learn to read by the periscopic system of looking at word-and-picture stories and then memorizing the shape and meaning of each word.)

There's a brand new book that can be of great help to parents who want to buck the prevailing system. It's by the famous children's book author H. A. Rey and is called Curious George Learns the Alphabet (Houghton Mifflin).

Mr. Rey has an inborn knack of writing for children and a healthy disregard for all educational theories. He has already written several books about charming little monkey called Curious George;

now he has hit upon the notion of teaching Curious George the alphabet.

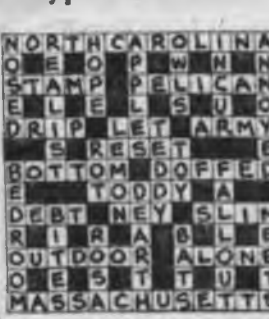
Strangely enough, he has rediscovered a method invented 3,000 years ago.

When the Phoenicians first invented the alphabet, they drew little simplified pictures of familiar things to signify

the first letters of the things' names. A (aleph) stood for an ox, B (beth) for a house, and so on.

In the U.S. this method was rediscovered by Dr. Frank C. Laubach, the famous apostle of world-wide literacy. When Dr. Laubach began his crusade to teach illiterate Asians, Africans and South Americans how to read and write, he devised charts in each of their languages that showed familiar objects drawn in the shape of letters that started their names.

## Answer to Sunday's Crypt-A-Crossword



Mr. Rey, knowingly or unknowingly, follows in the footsteps of the ancient Phoenicians and of Dr. Laubach. He has drawn an A-shaped alligator (with his mouth wide open), an unforgettable K-shaped kangaroo, a delightful walrus with W-shaped whiskers and a galloping Z-shaped zebra. His big H is an H-shaped house on a hill behind a Hedge, and his small

h is a charming h-shaped horse who is happy because he has heaps of hay.

If you have a child or grandchild of pre-school age, show him this book. Read the text aloud and point to the pictures. Pretty soon he'll have painlessly absorbed the shape and sound of each letter and will be on his way toward learning to read.

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# Network Steamrollers Face Crackdown in U.S.

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The new chairman of the U.S. Federal Communications Commission hinted Monday tough, direct regulations may be clamped on radio and television. These may include an attempt to limit the number of "prime time" network TV shows.

William Henry, 34, who succeeds Newton Minow, 37, as FCC chairman June 1, said, "You can rest assured of action soon" to ease the major networks' control of programming on local stations.

Henry also said the FCC for the first time is writing a policy on television and radio commercials. He supported proposals for more self-discipline among broadcasters in controlling commercials.

The former Memphis lawyer disclosed the FCC is studying the possibility of more direct regulation of radio and television networks.

The FCC now exercises indirect control over what radio

and television audiences see and hear through its power to grant and renew station licenses. Henry did not indicate whether Congress was being asked for enabling legislation.

He promised speedy action on the networks' "option time" practice, under which networks pre-empt evening time for network shows.

Henry suggested the FCC might seek to limit the amount of prime time that could be devoted to network programs.

## Record Kills Her Case

VANCOUVER (CP) — The woman admitted using nine different names, trying to take her own life three times and having a criminal record for possession of stolen goods.

Given that background, Magistrate Gordon Scott decided not to believe the evidence of Mrs. Patricia Ayres supporting five charges against case owner Edward Parker.

"It's oath for oath in this case, but I'm more impressed by the defendant than I am with the complainant," he said.

Mrs. Ayres, 24, accused Parker of endangering the lives of her mother and stepfather by turning on a gas jet in her apartment. She also charged him with assault and stealing her \$700 German Shepherd dog. Parker denied it all.

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## 'Public Trust'

**MONTREAL (UPI) —** CBC president Alphonse Ouimet said Monday the "primary and overriding objective of world television is to serve the public interest."

"I believe the answer to the challenge of world television will be found not in negative controls, but in the realization that broadcasting on any scale—and even more so on a global scale—is first and foremost a public trust."

## Emmy Awards

## NBC's Tunnel Top TV Show

By AP, UPI

**HOLLYWOOD —** The controversial NBC show The Tunnel, the story of a tunnel dug under the Berlin wall which the U.S. state department tried to keep off the air, was named best program and documentary of 1962 Sunday as TV's annual Emmy awards were handed out.

It also won the international reporting prize, helping to give NBC an even break of 12-11 with CBS in the Emmy race. ABC won three.

**REPEATS**  
E. G. (The Defenders) Marshall and Shirley (Hazel) Booth repeated as best individual performers in a series, while Trevor (Diarrhea) Howard and Kim Stanley won the single-show awards, the latter for a Ben Casey episode.

Special awards were given to President Kennedy, whose wife won one last year, the late Dick Powell and A T & T for Telstar. Other awards were:  
Programs, The Defenders, dramatic series; Julie Andrews and Carol Burnett, music; Andy Williams, variety; Dick Van Dyke, humor; College Bowl, panel quiz; Walt Disney, children; Huntley-Brinkley, news; Brinkley's Journal, commentary. Individuals, Carol Burnett, musical performer; Glenda Farrell, supporting actress for a Ben Casey episode; Don Knotts, supporting actor for Andy Griffiths; Robert Russell Bennett, composer, Project 20's He Is Risen.

## Cannes Film Awards Draw Jeers

By ALINE MOSBY

**PARIS (UPI) —** Howls of "reform the Cannes film festival" from jeering French critics echoed across Paris Monday. The critics said the 16th festival awards were dished out more for politics than for art, more for collusion than for culture.

No one quarreled with the awarding of the Golden Palm to Italy's The Leopard and of the special jury prize to Japan's Hara Kiri, the only two films those attending the festival judged truly artistic.

From then on, they agreed, the movies were "banal," and it was a case of the jury seeing no compelling country went home with empty hands.

Cannes audiences did not turn handclaps over the entries from the U.S. and Russia.

But, as one critic said, "the feelings of the patriots of Kennedy and Khrushchev must be tended to" or the mighty powers might not send entries next year.

Thus, something like "the Gary Cooper award for solidarity of humanity" was given the U.S. entry, To Kill a Mockingbird, described as "mediocre" by one critic. Bringing even more pointed comment was the category created for The Optimistic Tragedy, the Soviet entry — "the best motion picture on a revolutionary subject."

## Meetings In Victoria Today

A public meeting will be held by the Victoria British-Israel Association in the Newstead Hall, 734 Fort Street, at 7:45 p.m.

William Hawkins will speak on tourism at a meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Victoria in the Empress Hotel at 12:10 p.m.

Const. C. Owens, safety officer for Saanich, will speak on juvenile traffic safety patrols at a meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Victoria North in the Tally-Ho Travelodge at 6:15 p.m.

A report on the provincial PTF convention will be made at the final meeting of the Cloverdale PTA in James Bay School at 8 p.m.

## Beverage Union Signs Contract

**VANCOUVER (CP) —** The Beverage Dispensers Union (CLC) has signed a two-year contract covering 111 city liquor outlets. The new pact provides a raise of five cents an hour retroactive to Jan. 1 and an additional four cents effective next Jan. 1. Previous base rates for the 950 men affected range from \$1.66 an hour for waiters to \$2.28 for head lounge bartenders.

# Biggest Theft in History?

**WASHINGTON (UPI) —** A U.S. house subcommittee that investigated disappearance of \$7,500,000 in U.S. securities from the San Francisco federal reserve bank has concluded the certificates may have been stolen.

If so, the theft would be the biggest in history.

**NO EVIDENCE**  
The subcommittee, in a report by its two-man Democratic majority, said there is no actual evidence that the securities were accidentally destroyed, as claimed by the bank.

It said this means the missing securities "quite conceivably"

may yet be presented for payment, despite their May 15 maturity date.

## HMCS Yukon Commissioned

**NORTH VANCOUVER (CP) —**

Federal Forestry Minister J. R. Nicholson officiated Saturday at the commissioning of Canada's latest destroyer-escort, HMCS Yukon, but said he hopes she never sees action.

"We hope and pray such will be the case, but even if that proves to be so, at the end the ship and the men who served could say with pride: 'mission fulfilled.'"

U.S. taxpayers in the end could take the rap for all the loss except for \$500,000 covered by a private insurer, the subcommittee majority asserted.

The report was made by Reps. Henry Reuss (D-Wis.) and Charles Vanik (D-Ohio). It sharply criticized bank officials and the parent federal reserve board both for their handling of the case and their initial decision to keep it secret.

The disappearance from a bank vault was discovered last Aug. 8. A house banking and currency committee staff member learned of it March 22. A San Francisco newspaper broke the story March 27.

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Letter Refuted

Mike Denies  
Election Offer

OTTAWA (CP) — A letter purporting to be a pledge of American support to Prime Minister Pearson from U.S. Ambassador Butterworth before the April 8 election was read into the Commons record Monday by Hon. Gordon Churchill.

In the heated debate that followed, Mr. Pearson denied that he had received any such letter, said Mr. Churchill was aware of that, and suggested Mr. Churchill knew the "forgery" had been disavowed by Mr. Butterworth.

VERBAL BATTLE

Mr. Churchill, former Conservative defence and veterans minister, became involved in a verbal battle with Mr. Pearson, then leader of the opposition, from Walton W. Butterworth, U.S. ambassador to Canada.

At one point it said that it would be "quite evident" to the Canadian electors in the election to be held soon that the Conservative government was "narrow-minded and unfit to govern."

He said the "forgery" was brought to his attention during the April election campaign and that he notified the Conservative government then that he did not write it.

Before Mr. Churchill read the purported signature, Mr. Pearson accused him of "reading a letter which he knows to be an absolute forgery."

Mr. Churchill replied that he had been accused "in a manner which he (Mr. Pearson) will regret."

Mr. Churchill remained silent when State Secretary Pickersgill asked him where he had obtained the letter.

REVIEWERS EVENTS  
The former Conservative cabinet minister read the letter after giving a detailed summary of events beginning with Gen. Lauris Norstad's visit to Ottawa Jan. 3 on retiring as NATO commander.

During that visit Gen. Norstad said that he had been told by a source that the letter was a forgery.

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Letter Forgery  
Says Ambassador

OTTAWA (CP) — W. W. Butterworth, United States ambassador to Canada, lost no time Monday in denying that he ever wrote a letter critical of the former Progressive Conservative government to then Opposition Leader Lester Pearson.

Within one hour after Gordon Churchill (PC-Winnipeg North Centre) read in the Commons a letter purporting to have been sent last January by Mr. Butterworth to Mr. Pearson,

the U.S. embassy issued an 80-word mimeographed statement by the ambassador.

The statement said the letter "is a complete forgery." It had been brought to Mr. Butterworth's attention during the last election campaign and he had immediately notified the former Conservative government.

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Hotel Dispute

Dean Curtis  
Arbitrator

Labor Minister Leslie Peterson Monday named UBC dean of law George Curtis to arbitrate the Empress Hotel labor dispute.

\$5,000,000  
Fire  
Hits Hospital

CHICOUTIMI, Que. (UPI) — A fire which caused damage estimated at \$5,000,000 to the Hotel de St. Valier hospital was brought under control Monday night eight hours after it began.

The army said it would donate 500 beds to be placed in a nearby school to help accommodate some of the hospital's 1,000 patients who were placed in private homes, convents and schools in the area.

A force of 225 fire fighters from nearby communities plus 150 volunteers fought the blaze. (Earlier story page 12.)

Alabama Governor 'Safe'

Troopers Halt Marshals

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — U.S. marshals were prevented by a heavy guard of state troopers from serving legal papers on Alabama's pro-segregation Governor George Wallace here Monday. (See also Page 14.)

Instead, the marshals gave

the papers to a Negro maid at the governor's mansion.

State troopers had kept the governor from being served with official notice that a federal suit has been filed seeking to prohibit Wallace from carrying out his promised intervention when two Negroes try to enroll in the all-white University of Alabama.

In Washington, the U.S. Supreme Court rejected Wallace's suit to bar use of federal troops in Birmingham, scene of recent anti-segregation demonstrations by Negroes. The governor had asked the tribunal to declare that President Kennedy violated the U.S. Constitution by sending troops into the state for possible riot duty in Birmingham's racial troubles.

Meanwhile, Southern U.S. movie theatre owners were told by Attorney-General Robert F. Kennedy in Washington that they should anticipate desegregation problems and try to solve them on a town-by-town basis.

The attorney-general also met briefly with James H. Meredith, the first Negro ever knowingly enrolled at the University of Mississippi.

Text of the statement: "The alleged letter from me to the prime minister, the purported text of which I understand was read into the record of the House of Commons this afternoon, is a complete forgery. The forgery was brought to my attention during the recent election campaign."

NOTIFIED GOVERNMENT  
"I notified the then government that such a forgery was being circulated, and denied to enquirers who asked me about it at the time, that I had ever written any such letter. I reiterate the denial."

WOMAN, 70,  
Gives Birth

LAGOS, Nigeria (UPI) — Doctors said Monday a 70-year-old woman from Calabar, in eastern Nigeria, has given birth to a baby in a health home and mother and child are doing well.

Service station attendant Ken-



DEAN CURTIS  
... report binding

'Pope Well Aware'  
That End Is Near

VATICAN CITY (Reuters) — The Vatican said Pope John's condition improved further Monday but press reports painted a black picture.

The improvement in the condition of the 85-year-old leader of the Roman Catholic Church following a severe relapse and a hemorrhage last weekend was announced in the Vatican City newspaper L'Osservatore Romano.

However, the Milan newspaper Corriere Della Sera reported that a few days ago the Pope, rumored to have cancer, said:

"I know what I have. And I also know that I have only three or four more weeks to live."

Assured Rome's Il Messaggero.

Corriere Della Sera, a leading Italian paper, also quoted physician Piero Mazzoni, in almost constant attendance, as saying when he left Pope John Sunday:

"We are in the hands of God rather than in the hands of science."

A Vatican source reported the leading surgeon Achille Mario Dagliotti examined the pontiff last month and said radioactive anti-cancer treatment was impossible in view of the Pope's general condition.

Meanwhile, it was disclosed that a White House party due here Monday night to work out details for President Kennedy's visit postponed its arrival for a few days.

The president had been expected to be received by Pope John June 22.

Although a U.S. embassy spokesman said he knew of no change in Kennedy's plan to visit Italy, Vatican sources said they had no information yet about the presidential visit.

The Osservatore Romano statement said the Pope's doctors "found further progress (Monday) morning following improvement Sunday night in his general condition, above all in his subjective condition."

The Pope spent a "good night," a Vatican spokesman added.

The Pope's personal physician, Antonio Gasbarrini, also examined the pontiff Monday.



Armored car driver Douglas John Brown, right, smiles as he walks from plane in Toronto with Vancouver detective William Porteus. — (Fednews Photo)

Bag of Tools  
Held Loot

HOPE, B.C. (CP) — Don Hall, proprietor of a restaurant here, became suspicious of three suitcases that someone had left in the washroom.

They were supposed to contain carpenter's tools.

They really held more than \$200,000 in cash, which police said was the bulk of the money stolen in the Loomis Armored Car Service theft at Vancouver during the Victoria Day holiday weekend.

FRIEND PHONED  
Hall, owner of the Rupert Taylor Motel Restaurant, told Monday of how he was telephoned May 17 by a friend who told him a man wanted to bring three suitcases of carpenter's tools to be stored in his restaurant.

He went to a friend for advice. The friend told him to open the suitcases. Hall shook the suitcases—the sound wasn't that of tools.

RAW LAWYER  
Sunday afternoon he saw a lawyer. The lawyer sent for RCMP Staff Sgt. John Hall of Chilliwack.

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Thoughts began running through Hall's mind. Did he really have the Loomis loot, sitting in a washroom in this village 100 miles northeast of Vancouver?

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Brown Back Home

Police Foil  
Reporters  
With Decoy

VANCOUVER (CP) — Two police forces outfoxed a corps of reporters and cameramen Monday night as Douglas John Brown, suspect in an armored-car theft, was returned to Vancouver.

The 35-year-old driver for the Loomis Armored Car Service was being brought back in police custody after a 2½-day trip from Rio de Janeiro.

Not a picture was taken of the suspect as police nearly whisked him away to city jail to await preliminary hearing on charges of theft.

At least a dozen newsreel, television and press reporters and cameramen made their way to the TCA tarmac by various routes after being held at bay for some time by commissioners.

RCMP and city police permitted the reporters to gather around the first-class landing ramp. A city police unmarked car backed to the ramp and one door was held open by an RCMP constable.

Another Door  
Only the actors in the plot knew that Brown was getting set to leave the plane by another door.

After all first-class passengers were off the jet from Toronto, a young well-dressed man wearing a business suit was ushered down the steps by a city detective and placed in the front of the car.

Asked Questions  
Radio reporters thrust microphones at him and barked questions such as:

"Have you anything to say, Mr. Brown?"

Movie cameras ground through all four windows of the car, flash bulbs lit the scene, as reporters called out:

"Do you intend to throw yourself on the mercy of the court?"

Cameramen Call  
Newscam cameramen on the driver's side of the car called out:

"Doug, Doug, look this way." The man kept his head down and lit a cigarette, smiling at the detective next to him.

Then came the explosion.

Car Roars Away  
Another detective leaped into the driver's seat and the police car burned rubber as it swung under the wing of the plane down to the other doorway. Half a dozen suit-clad figures ran down and leaped into the police car and a following RCMP car which pulled out from behind another plane.

Another Prisoner  
The cry of: "Decoy, decoy" went up and photographers raced after the police car, taking pictures from long range. The two cars, joined by a second RCMP vehicle, roared off the airport tarmac.

The "decoy" later was identified as Bert Benjamin Bural, being returned here to face charges of fraud.

A crowd of about 200 persons lined the observation rail, laughing and applauding at the newspapermen's discomfiture.

Counting Cash  
While Brown was in the air between Toronto and Vancouver, bank tellers here were counting an estimated \$300,000 in cash discovered in three suitcases 100 miles away.

Deputy Police Chief Gordon Ambrose said it was part of the loot from the May 15 theft. He also said that two more men have been arrested in the case and probably will be charged with conspiracy.

Cheques worth \$200,000 had been recovered two days after the theft in a car, identified as belonging to Brown, near the belonging to Brown, near the airport.

2,000,000  
Menaced  
By Plague

HANOI, North Viet Nam (Reuters) — Health authorities declared Hanoi and its suburbs a bubonic plague area Monday and ordered the 2,000,000 population of the capital immunized.

The order, following several deaths from the disease, also applied to Khanh Hoa province, 300 miles northeast of Hanoi and with a population of 230,000. All inhabitants of these areas must carry immunization certificates and present them on demand.

Northern  
Mystery  
Solved?

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (CP) — Police said Monday night a body, which almost certainly is that of Henri Meriguet, 20, of Anney, France, has been found at Mile 683 of the Alaska Highway.

Inspector J. L. Vachon of the RCMP said the body was found about 75 yards off the Alaska Highway by police search dogs. The site was 25 road miles southeast of Whitehorse.

Meriguet crossed the Atlantic last summer to trace the footsteps of his grandfather who founded the family fortune on Klondike gold diggings. He vanished Aug. 30, on the way home.

Inspector Vachon said a convict serving a sentence in B.C. Penitentiary on other charges will be questioned in connection with the discovery.

\$30,000,000  
Program  
For Prisons

MONTREAL (CP) — Allen MacLeod, commissioner of penitentiaries, has announced the start of a \$30,000,000 five-year program to bring Canada's prison facilities up to date. The program involves the construction of at least eight new institutions.

Mr. MacLeod said Canada's penitentiary population has increased 35 per cent in the last few years. A recent wave of riots by prisoners wanting transfers to other prisons had underlined the need for new facilities.

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# Flames Claim Last of Nanaimo's Chinatown

**NANAIMO** — Nanaimo's Chinatown just wasn't meant to be rebuilt, Wally Chang is convinced.

The original Chinatown was wiped out by fire early in the century. It was gradually rebuilt, and again wiped out by fire in September, 1960. Monday, the only remaining building burned to the ground.

Wally Chang was having the sole relic, the end house, reconstructed as a boarding house, restaurant and club. The building was almost completed and just awaiting inspection by the fire marshal when fire of unknown origin levelled it to the foundations.

**PORT ALBERNI** — M. M. P. said that a small quantity of money was stolen at Ashdown hardware here in a breaking and entering reported Sunday afternoon.

Entry was made by a skylight in the building of J. H. Ashdown Hardware Co. Ltd., 219 Third Avenue South, according to the police, who said that the safe was attacked and the money taken from it. Investigation is continuing.

## Around The Island

**ALBERNI** — Cherry Creek Water Board has called a general meeting to discuss a plan for garbage collection in the rural area.

The meeting will be held in the community hall June 7 at 8:30 p.m.

Alberni City has offered to enter into a contract to supply facilities of the city dump if the improvement districts organize the collection service. Beaver Creek has already indicated approval of the plan.

A spokesman for the Cherry Creek Board said that he believes the service can be inaugurated for a weekly charge of 25 cents to each household.

**NANAIMO** — Tourists visiting Nanaimo Saturday afternoon were bewildered to find the Tourist Bureau closed.

Tourist Bureau chairman Halg Burns said he had heard of the protests from the tourists and said steps will be taken immediately to have the bureau open Saturday afternoon throughout the summer.

The bureau normally is open all day Saturday during July and August. Mr. Burns said the tourists have started early this year.

**DUNCAN** — A fist fight in the downtown area between John Leader, Shawinigan Lake, and his 19-year-old son, Philip F. Leader of Duncan, cost the former \$100 and the latter \$35. Both had been charged with causing a disturbance in a public place.

Roy Gordon Charlie, Kokilah, pleaded guilty to impaired driving and driving while suspended and was fined \$150 on the first and \$100 on the second count.

A fine of \$50 was imposed on Robert Halliday of Duncan, who pleaded guilty to careless driving. His licence was suspended for two months.

Victoria man Egid Huyvens paid \$15 for crowding a double solid line, and a similar charge drew \$15 from Charles Sherwood of Cobble Hill. Fishing in the Cowichan River without licence cost Harry M. Smale, Duncan, \$15, and Leslie Car-

son, Duncan, was fined \$20 for speeding.

**NANAIMO** — Three local firms were fined in court Monday for overloading trucks. Ganderton Construction Ltd. was fined \$50 for operating a truck with an overload of 4,000

pounds. G and G Construction was fined \$75 and Reg Dorman Trucking \$75.

**LAKE COWICHAN** — Consuming liquor in a public place cost Duncan man Lloyd H. Baker \$50 after he pleaded guilty in police court. A fine of

\$20 was assessed against Juliette A. Foster of Cobble Hill for speeding at Youbou. She was checked by radar and pleaded guilty.

**NANAIMO** — A well-known businessman, Gerald Percival Berry, died Saturday in Nanaimo Regional Hospital at the age of 65.

Mr. Berry, owner of Powers, Doyle and Berry clothing store, was a member of Post No. 3 Native Sons of B.C. and a prominent figure in Gyro circles.

The flag on the historic Bastion was flown at half-mast Monday in honor of Mr. Berry.

**CAMPBELL RIVER** — Returned Monday from Prince Rupert to answer charges of false pretences, Charles Lock pleaded guilty before Magistrate R. L. Harg-Brown. He was remanded for sentence.

**NANAIMO** — Nanaimo Senior Secondary school graduation banquet and dance is scheduled for Friday, May 31.

**NANAIMO** — Kenneth Nadon of Nanaimo is reported in satisfactory condition in Nanaimo Regional Hospital after his car overturned in a ditch early Sunday.

Nadon, 19, was driving the vehicle when it overturned near the intersection of Highway 19 and Pleasant Valley Rd. A passenger in the car was released from hospital after treatment.

British Columbia, Victoria  
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## Logger Hurt

**LAKE COWICHAN** — Duncan logger William Aitchison is in good condition at the King's Daughters' Hospital following an industrial accident in the woods near the village in which he suffered two broken legs.

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## Reel Barn Dance

Sure-enough barn dance is one pictured above. Every year square dancers of Nanaimo gather in G. Negrin's huge barn at Lantzville, prior to its being filled with hay, for giant barn dance. This one was Saturday night. (Agnes M. Flett)

## Queen Janet Rules Over Parksville

**PARKSVILLE** — Fine weather and a large crowd added to the success of Parksville's annual May Day celebrations, sponsored by Parksville PTA.

The parade, one of the best on record, was sponsored by Parksville Kinmen Club and attracted some outstanding entries.

Adding color and music was the Regimental Pipe and Drum band of the Canadian Scottish Regiment, Princess Mary's, from Victoria and Nanaimo.

Highlight was the crowning of Janet Cutler as Parksville's 1963 May Queen by retiring queen Joanne Ferguson, following an address of welcome by Norman Trim, school principal.

May Queen attendants were Sharon Naboth and Cindy Thompson, while flower girls were Sherri-Lee Kirkby, Yvette Botfield, Ardit Adams, Karen Johannesen, Sherri Hambrick and Patsy Sterling.

May Queen Janet presented prizes to parade winners: Commercial floats, The Note Shop, Oversties Store, Parkville and District Credit Union; organization floats, French Creek PTA, Parkville Girl Guides, Parkville and District Garden Club; special, Parkville Riding Centre.

In the children's classes, costumes of any type, Robby Irving, Patsy Lewis, Stephanie Butler, decorated doll buggies, one only, Maureen Anderson;

decorated wagons and bicycles. Lynda Krota, Bruce McManus, Sandra Heyward; decorated bicycles, Grade 4 and under, Lee Blower, Janis Lettler, Diane McKillop; decorated bicycles, Grade 5 and over, Debbie Forest, Sheila Roberts.

Special prizes went to Jill Thwaites, Heather Jenkins, Kenny Roberts, also Bruce and Karen Jenkin and Kna Jacobson in a group.

Judges were Mrs. Patricia Smith, Mrs. Audrey Hobby, Mrs. Ronald Thwaites and Mrs. C. H. Lettler.

Climax of the day's events was the May Queen's Ball at the Community Hall.

**NANAIMO** — A western saddle valued at more than \$300 was stolen from the Lazy L ranch at Yellow Point, West Andrew told police Monday.

Mr. Andrew said the saddle, jet black and hand-tooled in a basket weave pattern, was stolen from a barn while he was away from the ranch.

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# Varsity Future Bright

In due course, the University of Victoria will be one of the finest in Canada, chancellor-designate Judge J. B. Clearthue told a graduation ceremony audience in Gordon Head gymnasium yesterday.

He was referring to the full university status Victoria University will acquire after July 1.

"We always have co-operated with the University of B.C. and we will continue to do so," the Victoria University Council chairman said. "In first place, Victoria will be a liberal arts university."

He said he hoped the university could draw staff and students from all over the world. However, it would be many years until a doctor of philosophy degree could be given.

UBC chancellor Dr. Phyllis Ross, wife of the former lieutenant-governor of B.C., said Monday "it is significant for higher education in B.C. that Victoria University brought unique benefits of sound teaching and scholarship to the students."

Among many others, she said she wanted to thank two persons in particular for their "unique contribution."

Judge Clearthue for the work he has done for the university after a distinguished career as soldier, lawyer and member of the bench.

Dr. W. H. Hickman, principal for a decade, a "man of quiet dignity and gracious com-

duct, endowed with the rare gift of teaching."

Dr. Ross said, "We must respect his decision to resign as principal and go back to teaching."

The chancellor said, "We

shall continue to co-operate and work together although our bonds have been severed" and predicted the University of Victoria would become a great university.

UBC president Dr. John

Macdonald said "You (the graduates) will feel an affiliation with two universities."

Dr. Macdonald said science was changing the world and research was solving problems and creating new ones.

"It will take a long time to overcome scientific mediocrity unless efforts are made to raise the standards of education."

But he ended on an optimistic note: "The future for science is bright — achievement will follow achievement."

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In his short address, outgoing principal Dr. Hickman said, "We take seriously your promise to co-operate with the future University of Victoria."

He thanked UBC officials for the continued support over the past years.



Three chancellors — two without a university yet — talk about Monday's Victoria University graduation ceremony at Gordon Head gymnasium: Judge J. B. Clearthue, left, chairman of Victoria University Council and

future University of Victoria chancellor; Dr. Phyllis Ross, University of B.C. chancellor, and Dr. Gordon Shrum, future chancellor for projected Simon Fraser University in Burnaby. — (Bud Kinsman)

## University Severs Ties

### Sixty-Six Graduates Receive Diplomas

Monday was a perfect day for Victoria University as it severed its ties from the mother institution, the University of British Columbia.

A brilliant sun shone on the 66 graduates and dozens of professors, public figures and university officials alike, but a cool wind prevented a steamy atmosphere often to be found at similar functions.

#### TO GYMNASIUM

From an adjoining barracks, the official procession moved in solemn, slow rhythm through the main door of Victoria University's Gordon Head gymnasium into the 900-seat hall where nearly every chair had been taken by proud parents and interested onlookers.

First to file in were the graduates, followed by smiling and conversing faculty members, and the rear was brought up by the chancellor's party.

#### THREE CHANCELLORS

There were three chancellors — Dr. Phyllis Ross, for UBC; Dr. Gordon Shrum, head of the governing body of the projected Simon Fraser University in Burnaby, and finally Judge J. B. Clearthue, former chairman of Victoria University Council and future chancellor of University of Victoria July 1.

The colorful robes displayed by dignitaries and the pastel-colored chairs in the gymnasium broke up the serious black prevailing in the men's suits, and the HMCS Naden navy band under Commissioned Officer T. Milner provided festive background music.

#### GRADUATES ANNOUNCED

After the three official speeches the 66 graduates — 16 of the 82 total were absent — were announced by name and tapped on the head by a mor-

tar board by Dr. Ross as they knelt in front of her.

Victoria University principal Dr. W. H. Hickman, who will retire from his position to make room for a yet unnamed president, read out the names. Graduates received their diplomas from UBC president Dr. John Macdonald who next year will attend the ceremony as a guest.

The third annual congregation for the conferring of degrees was slated to begin at 2 p.m. but late arrival of Dr. Ross and Education Minister Peterson, among others, de-

layed the ceremony until 2:35 p.m.

Perhaps the most astonishing fact about the 66 graduates was that a solid percentage of them were well beyond what could be termed student age, displaying grey hair and mature status.

Applause for each graduate rose several degrees whenever one of these mature graduates received his diploma in an apparent gesture of respect by the audience.

Absent graduates were formally admitted by Dr. Ross.

The invocation was rendered

by Very Rev. Dr. J. L. W. McLean.

After the ceremony, tea was served in the cafeteria to graduates and their parents and the dignitaries.

Among the dignitaries were: Lieutenant-Governor Peckie, Judge Montague Tyrwhitt-Drake, Victoria University vice-principal Robert Wallace who just returned from a year's study abroad, Roman Catholic Bishop Remi J. de Roo, Anglican Archbishop Harold Sexton, and members of UBC board of governors R. H. B. Ker and Walter Koerner.

## Police Seek Vandals In Courtenay Area

COURTENAY — RCMP officers here and in Cumberland are investigating two acts of vandalism.

Courtenay Recreation Association swimming pool suffered when vandals broke in and threw benches, towels and garbage into the water and also broke into the hall and made an unsuccessful attempt to enter the office.

In Cumberland, vandals broke into the CRI hall and took \$20.

LAKE COWICHAN — A Martin Mars aircraft was making steady water-bombing runs Monday night trying to quell a 10-acre forest fire near here. The plane, flying out of Sprout Lake, dumped 40,000 gallons in the first three hours after discovery of the fire at 5 p.m.

Forestry officials said the property, a working area for 175 employees of Hillcrest Log-

pital after treatment for minor lacerations.

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Fairfield Rovers and Scout Group will hold a 50-cent car wash Saturday from 12 noon to 5 p.m. at the Fairfield Plaza Shopping Centre.

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## Nanaimo Next

# Gas Price War Marches North

NANAIMO — The gas war is marching northward and is expected to hit Nanaimo by the end of next month.

Service station operators in the city feel that the war here is inevitable. Already some Nanaimo motorists are driving to Duncan to take advantage of the slashed prices there.

Jim Gramak, president of the Automobile Retailers Association here, said Monday there is no way of preventing the war from spreading to Nanaimo. He said the only hope would be either federal or provincial government control.

Several service station operators here also expressed the fear that the war is only about 30 days away and will hit right at the peak of the tourist season.

They all indicated they favored government control to stave off the price slashing.

Norm Kelly of Terminal Fraser Shell station summed up the feelings of the Nanaimo operators who have watched the war spread slowly northward since it hit Victoria several months ago.

"I'd love to sell gas cheaper, but I can't buy it cheaper."

#### He's Stiff!

NANAIMO — John Macdonald of Cedar was so stiff Monday.

John, a man who used to make Nanaimo stiff when it came to running its record-breaking time, dug a 14-foot-long water channel two feet deep through shale over the weekend.

Friends Monday were reassuring John that such a task can result in stiff muscles when a man is 35 like he is.

#### DON'T KNOW FACTS

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## Germany Has Big Changes

DUNCAN — Recently returned from the first trip in 10 years to his former homeland Germany, Duncan jeweler Horst Nowrath was amazed by the tremendous changes. Summing up his six weeks' experience, however, he said the differences between there and here become more and more insignificant.

At the international trade fair at Hannover, West Germany, he heard all languages except German.

#### NO UNEMPLOYMENT

Unemployment is still absent in the Bundesrepublik and foreign labor is still in demand. As in prewar days, German buyers still demand quality products, but a new tendency of purchasing cheaper goods is slowly rising in the booming economy.

Mr. Nowrath said in general German workers are taking it easier now and the old tradition of construction workers, who considered beer as the only refreshment on the job, has been inherited by the younger generation.

#### U.S. INFLUENCE

He said the influence of the American continent is apparent in numerous instances. Mr. Nowrath said liquor is very cheap but good in Germany and gasoline is very expensive. Filling up the tank of a Volkswagen in Germany cost about \$15, compared with a Canadian refill of approximately \$4. The income of laborers and white-collar workers in the medium bracket of 700 marks can be compared with the buying power of about \$350.

#### NEEDS WALL

Every visitor to Berlin has to see the wall. Berliners insist on this, and Mr. Nowrath also was confronted with the eight-foot barrier studded with watchtowers and secured with barbed wire.

An episode of a lighter nature faced him in a small town in the Black Forest where he crossed the path of another Duncan man, Joachim Theseling, who, like Mr. Nowrath, was vacationing.

## Maple Bay Scene Of Sail Past

MAPLE BAY — A yacht club Commodore Van T. Shindler took the salute from a large number of boats Sunday here at the annual sail past. Mr. Shindler was aboard the cruiser Sportfisher owned by Dr. Jack Patterson from Victoria.

Participating boats included Barracuda, Ormand Springford, Fontaine II, Jim Hirst, Coral, E. L. Robson, Genie, Dr. W. B. Palmer, Maana, Gordon Stone, Miss Applegate, Bert Evans, La Perle, Ken Savory, Kiler II, Jack Dobson, Cordana II, Gordon Evans, Timisl, George Dobson, Whatta Gal, Walter Hudson, Alana, Vic Palmer, Deonque, Alan Stewart, Rick G. McEwan, Kowaka, Dave Thomas, Flying Junior, Richard Day, Whisky Jack, Jack Davies, Zoraya, Ernie Crampton, Stubby, Reg Bazzin, Thel, Tony Sheridan, Chelita, Tommy MacEwan, Rebel, Eric Quilley, Zet, John King, High Time, Gerald Coleman, Step II, Dale Gillard, Blyah, Mike Hanson, Sparky, Major Cook, and Reddy, Dick James.



## More Parking Space on Way

Construction of new city-owned off-street parking garage at Yates and Langley Streets is progressing well. Garage is final half of building program undertaken by city council

last year. First part of \$1,115,000 plan was construction of View Street garage, now in operation. — (Ted Shackelford)

## Morals Charge Laid After Park Incident

First case of a morals charge since police started extra patrols in Beacon Hill Park was heard in city magistrate's court yesterday.

Additional patrol and a radio-equipped constabulary are credited with keeping down the threat of molesters, which has haunted the park each summer during the past few years.

#### FIRST NEW INCIDENT

Chief John Blackstock said yesterday to the best of his knowledge it was the first such incident in the park area since the extra precautions were taken.

The threat of molesters came to the public eye when a story listing the number of offences committed in the park last year appeared in The Daily Colonist.

#### PLEADED GUILTY

In city magistrate's court yesterday Sandy William Sands, 1026 Fairfield, entered a plea of guilty on a charge of indecent exposure in connection with an incident in Beacon Hill Park about 10 a.m. Sunday.

Magistrate William Outler remanded Sands until June 3 for a probation report and to permit a psychiatrist to interview the accused.



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## Storm in Commons

### Mike Denies Election Offer

OTTAWA (CP) — A letter purporting to be a pledge of American support to Prime Minister Pearson from U.S. Ambassador Butterworth before the April 8 election was read into the Commons record Monday by Hon. Gordon Churchill.

In the heated debate that followed, Mr. Pearson denied that he had received any such letter, said Mr. Churchill was aware of that, and suggested Mr. Churchill knew the "forgery" had been disowned by Mr. Butterworth.

#### VERBAL BATTLE

Mr. Churchill, former Conservative defence and veterans minister, became involved in a verbal battle with External Affairs Minister Martin and State Secretary Pickersill in which Mr. Martin said Mr. Churchill knew the letter was a forgery.

Mr. Churchill successfully challenged Mr. Martin's right to make such a statement under House rules and Deputy Speaker Lucien Lamoureux instructed Mr. Martin to withdraw the remark. Mr. Martin complied.

#### TO PEARSON

As read by the member for Winnipeg South Centre, the letter was addressed to Mr. Pearson, then leader of the opposition, from Walton W. Butterworth, U.S. ambassador to Canada.

At one point it said that it would be "quite evident" to the Canadian electors in the election to be held soon that the Conservative government was "narrow-minded and unfit to govern."

#### POINT ON SUPPORT

It said that the ambassador would like to consult with Mr. Pearson at the first opportunity and added: "You can always count on our support."

The ambassador later issued a press statement branding the letter as "a complete forgery." He said the "forgery" was brought to his attention during the April election campaign and that he notified the Conservative government then that he did not write it.

Before Mr. Churchill read the purported signature, Mr. Martin accused him of "reading a letter which he knows to be an absolute forgery."

#### WILL REPLY

Mr. Churchill replied that he had been accused "in a manner which he (Mr. Martin) will regret."

Mr. Churchill remained silent when State Secretary Pickersill asked him where he had obtained the letter.

#### REVEALS EVENTS

The former Conservative cabinet minister read the letter after giving a detailed summary of events beginning with Gen. Lauris Norstad's visit to Ottawa Jan. 3 on retiring as NATO commander.

During that visit Gen. Norstad said that he had written a letter to Mr. Pearson.

## Hotel Dispute

### Dean Curtis Arbitrator

Labor Minister Leslie Peterson Monday named UBC dean of law George Curtis to arbitrate the Empress Hotel labor dispute.

His report will be binding on both parties—the CPR and Local 276 of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway, Transport and General Workers (CLC).

#### AVERTED TWICE

A strike of the 300 union workers employed at the hotel was averted twice last week—both times when top officials of the labor department stepped in.

A strike at the hotel centre of Victoria tourism was first scheduled for last Wednesday after protracted negotiations had failed to close a wage gap.

Deputy labor minister William H. Sande last Wednesday succeeded in obtaining a 48-hour postponement of strike action pending discussion of terms of reference for possible arbitration.

#### ARBITRATION

On Friday with the second deadline nearing, Labor Minister Peterson talked exhaustively with both parties and finally convinced them to accept binding arbitration.

#### IN VICTORIA

Mr. Peterson said yesterday that Dean Curtis will hear submissions from both sides at hearings beginning June 17 in Victoria. If both parties approve that date.

The June 17 date is intended to give both sides time to prepare their cases.

## Alabama Governor 'Safe'

### Troopers Halt Marshals

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)—U.S. marshals were prevented by a heavy guard of state troopers from serving legal papers on Alabama's pro-segregation Governor George Wallace here Monday. (See also Page 14.)

Instead, the marshals gave

the papers to a Negro maid at the governor's mansion.

State troopers had kept the governor from being served with official notice that a federal suit has been filed seeking to prohibit Wallace from carrying out his promised intervention when two Negroes try to enrol in the all-white University of Alabama.

In Washington, the U.S. Supreme Court rejected Wallace's suit to bar use of federal troops in Birmingham, scene of recent anti-segregation demonstrations by Negroes. The governor had asked the tribunal to declare that President Kennedy violated the U.S. Constitution by sending troops into the state for possible riot duty in Birmingham's racial troubles.

Meanwhile, Southern U.S. movie theatre owners were told by Attorney-General Robert F. Kennedy in Washington that the should anticipate desegregation problems and try to solve them on a town-by-town basis.

The attorney-general also met briefly with James H. Meredith, the first Negro ever knowingly enrolled at the University of Mississippi.

#### ALLEGED LETTER

Text of the statement: "The alleged letter from me to the prime minister, the purported text of which I understand was read into the record of the House of Commons this afternoon, is a complete forgery. The forgery was brought to my attention during the recent election campaign."

#### NOTIFIED GOVERNMENT

"I notified the then government that such a forgery was being circulated, and denied to enquirers who asked me about it at the time, that I had ever written any such letter. I reiterate the denial."

### Woman, 70, Gives Birth

LAGOS, Nigeria (UPI)—Doctors said Monday a 70-year-old woman from Calabar, in eastern Nigeria, has given birth to a baby in a health home and mother and child are doing well.

### Fears Voiced For Pope

VATICAN CITY (Reuters)—The Vatican said Pope John's condition improved further Monday but press reports painted a black picture. The improvement in the condition of the 81-year-old leader of the Roman Catholic Church following a severe relapse and a hemorrhage last weekend was announced in the Vatican City newspaper L'Osservatore Romano.

However, the Milan newspaper Corriere della Sera reported that a few days ago the Pope, rumored to have cancer, said: "I know what I have. And I also know that I have only three or four more weeks to live."

Assured Rome's Il Messaggero: "The Pope is well aware of his condition and shows serenity. He is ready for the supreme moment."

Corriere della Sera, also quoted physician Pietro Mazzoni, in almost constant attendance, as saying when he left Pope John Sunday: "We are in the hands of God rather than in the hands of science."

A Vatican source reported the leading surgeon Achille Mario Dogliotti examined the pontiff last month and said radioactive anti-cancer treatment was impossible in view of the Pope's general condition.

The Osservatore Romano statement said the Pope's doctors "found further progress (Monday) morning following improvement Sunday night in his general condition, above all in his subjective condition." The Pope spent a "good night," a Vatican spokesman added.

The Pope's personal physician, Antonio Gasbarri, also said, examined the pontiff Monday.



Armored car driver Douglas John Brown, right, smiles as he walks from plane in Toronto with Vancouver detective William Porteous. (Fednews Photo)

#### Loomis Loot

### Fortune Held For a Week

HOPE, B.C. (CP)—Don Hall, proprietor of a restaurant here, became suspicious of three suitcases that someone had left in the washroom.

They were supposed to contain carpenter's tools. They really held more than \$300,000 in cash, which police said was the bulk of the money stolen in the Loomis Armored Car Service theft at Vancouver during the Victoria Day holiday weekend.

#### FRIEND PHONED

Hall, owner of the Rupert Taylor Motel Restaurant, told Monday of how he was telephoned May 17 by a friend who told him a man wanted to bring three suitcases of carpenter's tools to be stored in his restaurant.

Hall said he agreed to look after them.

Early Sunday afternoon, May 18, a man arrived with the suitcases. Hall stored them in the staff washroom in his restaurant. The man left.

A few days later Hall read that a Loomis driver had been charged with theft in connection with the disappearance of more than \$300,000. About \$300,000—mostly in cheques and change—later was found in a parked car at the airport here.

#### DID HE HAVE LOOT?

Thoughts began running through Hall's mind. Did he really have the Loomis loot, sitting in a washroom in this village 100 miles northeast of Vancouver?

He went to a friend for advice. The friend told him to open the suitcases. Hall shook the suitcases—the sound wasn't that of tools.

#### RAW LAWYER

Sunday afternoon he saw a lawyer. The lawyer sent for RCMP Staff Sgt. John Hall of Chilliwack.

Sunday night they pried open the suitcases with a screwdriver. All three suitcases were jammed with bills.

Staff Sgt. Hall took the suitcases into custody and reported to Vancouver police. The money was sent to Vancouver.

According to police, Joanne took a \$40 cheque belonging to her father, cashed it and took a bus to Manhattan.

Deciding she would like to go to Paris, she walked into the bank and said: "I want \$2,000. I need it."

She will be charged in children's court today with juvenile delinquency.

# BROWN RETURNS MONEY FOUND

#### VANCOUVER (CP) —

Two police forces outfitted a corps of reporters and cameramen Monday night as Douglas John Brown, suspect in an armored-car theft, was returned to Vancouver.

The 35-year-old driver for the Loomis Armored Car Service was being brought back in police custody after a 2½-day trip from Rio de Janeiro.

Not a picture was taken of the suspect as police neatly whisked him away to city jail to await preliminary hearing on charges of theft.

#### Out on Tarmac

At least a dozen newsreel, television and press reporters and cameramen made their way to the TCA tarmac by various routes after being held at bay for some time by administration.

RCMP and city police permitted the reporters to gather around the first-class landing ramp. A city police unmarked car backed to the ramp and one door was held open by an RCMP constable.

Only the actors in the plot knew that Brown was getting set to leave the plane by another door.

After all first-class passengers were off the jet from Toronto, a young well-dressed man wearing a business suit was ushered down the steps by a city detective and placed in the front of the car.

#### Asked Questions

Radio reporters thrust microphones at him and barked questions such as:

"Have you anything to say, Mr. Brown?"

Movie cameras ground through all four windows of the car, flash bulbs lit the scene, as reporters called out:

"Do you intend to throw yourself on the mercy of the court?"

Newsreel cameramen on the driver's side of the car called out:

"Doug, Doug, look this way."

The man kept his head down and lit a cigarette, smiling at the detective next to him.

Then came the explosion.

#### Car Roars Away

Another detective leaped into the driver's seat and the police car burned rubber as it swung under the wing of the plane down to the other doorway. Half a dozen suit-clad figures ran down and leaped into the police car and a following RCMP car which pulled out from behind another plane.

The cry of: "Decoy, decoy," went up and photographers raced after the police car, taking pictures from long range. The two cars, joined by a second RCMP vehicle, roared off the airport tarmac.

The "decoy" later was identified as Bert Benjamin Bural, being returned here to face charges of fraud.

A crowd of about 200 persons lined the observation rail, laughing and applauding at the newspapermen's discomfiture.

#### Counting Cash

While Brown was in the air between Toronto and Vancouver, bank tellers here were counting an estimated \$300,000 in cash discovered in three suitcases 100 miles away.

Deputy Police Chief Gordon Ambrose said it was part of the loot from the May 18 theft. He also said that two more men have been arrested in the case and probably will be charged with conspiracy.

Cheques worth \$200,000 had been recovered two days after the theft in a car, identified as belonging to Brown, near the airport.

### 2,000,000 Menaced By Plague

SARIGON, South Viet Nam (Reuters)—Health authorities declared Saigon and its suburbs a bubonic plague area Monday and ordered the 2,000,000 population of the capital immunized.

The order, following several deaths from the disease, also applied to Khanh Hoa province, 200 miles northeast of Saigon and with a population of 250,000. All inhabitants of these areas must carry immunization certificates and present them on demand.

### Northern Mystery Solved?

WHITEHORSE, Y.T. (CP)—Police said Monday night a body, which almost certainly is that of Henri Meriguet, 20, of Anney, France, has been found at Mile 693 of the Alaska Highway.

Inspector J. L. Vachon of the RCMP said the body was found about 75 yards off the Alaska Highway by police search dogs. The site was 225 road miles southeast of Whitehorse.

Meriguet crossed the Atlantic last summer to trace the footsteps of his grandfather who founded the family fortune on Klondike gold diggings. He vanished Aug. 30, on the way home.

Inspector Vachon said a convict serving a sentence in B.C. Penitentiary on other charges will be questioned in connection with the discovery.

### \$30,000,000 Program For Prisons

MONTREAL (CP)—Allen MacLeod, commissioner of penitentiaries, has announced the start of a \$30,000,000 five-year program in bringing Canada's prison facilities up to date. The program involves the construction of at least eight new institutions.

Mr. MacLeod said Canada's penitentiary population has increased 35 per cent in the last few years. A recent wave of riots by prisoners wanting transfers to other prisons had underlined the need for new facilities.

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### Letter Forgery Says Ambassador

OTTAWA (CP)—W. W. Butterworth, United States ambassador to Canada, lost no time Monday in denying that he ever wrote a letter critical of the former Progressive Conservative government to then Opposition Leader Lester Pearson.

Within one hour after Gordon Churchill (PC-Winnipeg North Centre) read in the Commons a letter purporting to have been sent last January by Mr. Butterworth to Mr. Pearson,

OTTAWA (CP)—Hundreds of thousands of people in three central Red Chinese provinces are being mobilized to fight threatened floods as silver levels reached almost unprecedented heights for this time of year, the People's Daily reports.

OTTAWA (CP)—A letter purporting to be a pledge of American support to Prime Minister Pearson from U.S. Ambassador Butterworth before the April 8 election was read into the Commons record Monday by Hon. Gordon Churchill.